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PUBLIC SCHOOLS

OF

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FOR THE

YEAR ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 1879.

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STATE OF MARYLAND,

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC EDUCATION.

Office of the State Board of Education,

Baltimore, January 14, 1880.

To His Excellency WM. T. HAMILTON,

Governor of Maryland:

SIR:—I have the honor to lay before you the Report of the State Board of Education for the school year ending July 31, and the fiscal year ending September 30, 1879, with accompanying documents, as required by law.

I have the honor to be,

Your obedient servant,

M. A. NEWELL,

Secretary.

REPORT OF THE STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION.

The following summary, in connection with the accompanying tables, exhibits, in a condensed form, the most important facts connected with the administration of the Public School System of the State, including the city of Baltimore, for the year ending September 30, 1879, so far as such facts can be presented in figures:

Number of schools in Baltimore city	125	
" " in the counties	1,884	
Total		2,009
Being an increase in 1879 of 20		
Number of different pupils, city	53,392	
" " " counties	112,094	
Total		165,486
Being an increase in 1879 of 9,212		
Highest number enrolled in one term, city	36,505	
" " " " counties	93,386	
Total		129,891
Being an increase in 1879 of 2,436		
Average number in daily attendance, city	30,477	
" " " " counties	53,768	
Total		84,245
Being an increase in 1879 of 2,416		
Number of teachers, city	822	
" " counties	2,269	
Total		3,091
Being an increase in 1879 of 20		
Number of months schools were open, city	10	
" " " " counties	8 5-6	
Average for the State		9 5-12

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Amount paid for teachers' salaries, city	$500,947 15	
" " " " counties	638,473 89	
Total		$1,139,421 04
Being an increase in 1879 of $17,007.35		
Amount paid for building, repairing and furnishing school-houses, city	$64,586 52	
Amount paid for building, repairing and furnishing school-houses, counties	107,372 78	
Total		$171,959 30
Being a decrease in 1879 of $35,702.80		
Amount paid for books and stationery, city	$30,476 53	
" " " " counties	53,580 16	
Total		$84,056 69
Being a decrease in 1879 of $10,896.32		
Amount paid for rent, fuel and incidentals, city	$47,884 99	
" " " " " counties	44,877 70	
Total		$92,762 69
Being an increase in 1879 of $4,059.80		
Total expenditure for Public School purposes, city	$643,895 19	
" " " " " counties	907,661 13	
Total		$1,551,556 32
Total expenditure for Public School purposes, 1878		1,593,259 66
Being a decrease in 1879 of		$41,703 34

Of the total expenditure by the city, ($643,895.19)—

The current expenses of white schools amounted to	$540,465 02
" " colored " "	59,532 95
The expenditure for building and repairs for white schools	$43,326 87
" " " colored "	570 35

Comparing the County Schools of the present with those of the preceding year, we have—

Average number of schools reported in 1879	1,884	
" " " " 1878	1,862	
Increase in 1879		22
Total number of scholars enrolled in 1879	112,094	
" " " " 1878	110,323	
Increase in 1879		1,771

Highest number enrolled in one term in 1879.....	93,386	
" " " " 1878.....	92,167	
Increase in 1879.....		1,219
Average number enrolled in 1879.....	84,421	
" " " 1878.....	82,260	
Increase in 1879..		2,161
Average number of scholars in daily attendance 1879.	53,768	
" " " " 1878.	52,311	
Increase in 1879.....		1,457
	1879.	1878.
Number of teachers (including assistants), men.....	1,216	1,207
" " " " women...	1,053	1,044
Total.....	2,269	2,251
Increase in 1879.....	18	
Average number of months schools were open, 1879.	8 months, 25 days.	
" " " " " 1878.	8 " 14 "	
Increase in 1879.....		11 days.
Amount received from State as School Tax, Free School Fund and Academic Fund, 1879.....	$322,371 15	
Amount received from State as School Tax, Free School Fund and Academic Fund, 1878.....	361,738 56	
Decrease in 1879.....		$39,367 31
Amount rec'd from appropriation to colored schools in 1879.....	$79,441 56	
Amount rec'd from appropriation to colored schools in 1878.....	79,441 55	
Increase in 1879.....		$ 01
Amount received from county taxation, 1879..	$384,489 09	
" " " " 1878.....	385,651 56	
Decrease in 1879.....		$1,162 47
Amount paid for teachers' salaries, 1879..... ..	$638,473 89	
" " " " 1878....	631,309 89	
Increase in 1879		$7,164 00
Amount paid for building, repairing and furnishing school-houses in 1879.....	$107,372 78	
Amount paid for building, repairing and furnishing school-houses in 1878.....	105,588 31	
Increase in 1879.....		$1,784 47

Amount paid for books and stationery, 1879	$53 580 16	
" " " " 1878	55,867 34	
Decrease in 1879		$2,287 18
Amount paid for supervision and office expenses, 1879	$37,900 82	
Amount paid for supervision and office expenses, 1878	40,582 78	
Decrease in 1879		$2,681 96
Amount paid for incidental expenses, 1879	$44,877 70	
" " " " 1878	42,990 13	
Increase in 1879		$1,887 57
Amount paid for interest in 1879	$3,922 50	
" " " 1878	4,115 02	
Decrease in 1879		$192 52
Amount paid for miscellaneous expenses, 1879	$7,230 24	
" " " " 1878	6,404 40	
Increase in 1879		$825 84
Amount of indebtedness paid in 1879	$14,303 04	
" " " 1878	28,425 77	
Decrease in 1879		$14,122 73
Total expenditures for Public School purposes, 1879.	$907,661 13	
" " " " " 1878.	915,283 64	
Decrease in 1879		$7,622 51

The items of expenditure which show an increase are:

Salaries	$7,164 00	
Building	1,784 47	
Incidentals	1,887 57	
Miscellaneous	825 84	
Total increase		$11,661 88

The items of expenditure which show a decrease are:

Books and stationery,	$2,287 18	
Supervision	2,681 96	
Interest	192 52	
Indebtedness.	14,122 73	
Total decrease		$19,284 39
Showing a net decrease in 1879, of		$7,622 51

Table "A" shows the population of Maryland by counties; the number of white and colored, and the number between 5 and 20 years of age.

Table "B" shows the quarterly distribution of the State School Tax to the several counties and the city of Baltimore.

Table "C" shows the amounts received by the several counties as "State School Tax," "Free School Fund," "Academic Fund, "Appropriation to Colored Schools" and "County Tax."

Table "D" shows receipts from all sources, with the totals, (including balances carried over).

Table "E" shows the expenditures of the several counties under the items, Teachers' Salaries, Incidental Expenses, Books and Stationery, Repairs and Furniture, Supervision and Office Expenses, Miscellaneous, Interest, Indebtedness Paid; with the balances on hand and the totals.

Table "F" shows the average number of scholars studying the different branches in the several counties.

Table "G" shows the number of schools in each county; the number of months schools were open; the number of teachers, male and female; the number of different pupils; the average number of pupils enrolled and in attendance, and the highest number enrolled in one term.

Table "H" shows the number of months the white schools were open; the total cost; the average cost of each pupil per month and per year, the amount paid for teachers' salaries, and the average amount paid each teacher per month and per year.

Table "I" shows the number of colored schools in each county; the number of teachers; with the total enrollment and average attendance of pupils.

Table "K" shows the number of months the colored schools were open; the total cost; the average cost of each pupil per month and per year; the amount paid for

teachers' salaries, and the average amount paid each teacher per month and per year.

Table "L" gives the statistics of the several colleges receiving State donations, and of the State Normal School.

Table "M" gives the statistics of the several schools and academies receiving State donations.

Table "N" gives a list of the County Examiners; their salaries, and the number of official visits paid to the schools.

The Annual Reports of the several Boards of County School Commissioners, which are given in full, deserve the special attention of tax-paying citizens. In them will be found a detailed and circumstantial account of the expenditures for each separate school, as well as the general expenses of the School Board. These reports show also, as well as such a matter can be shown by figures, the value received in return for these outlays; that is to say, the number of children taught in each school, and the branches of learning in which they were instructed. A careful study and analysis of such reports will form a necessary preparation for future legislation on the public school question.

The views of the Board respecting the propriety of asking for any change in the school law at the present time, are well expressed in the following extracts from a report made by a committee appointed to investigate the subject, and adopted unanimously by the Association of Public School Commissioners at their meeting in Baltimore, November 26, 1879—eighteen out of the twenty-three counties being represented on the occasion:

"So far as your committee have been able to ascertain the opinion of their fellow-citizens, the school law, as it stands, fairly represents the sentiments of the people of Maryland. While peculiarly adapted to our own wants, it comprises many of the best features of the best systems of other States, and is becoming every year better understood abroad and more popular at home. The animated

canvass preceding the late election gave a fair opportunity for a full expression of opinion on the subject. No opinion adverse to the system was expressed by any party. On the contrary, all parties endorsed the general principle; while a large majority approved the details of the law and the mode of administration.

"There are only two points on which any unfavorable criticism has been made—first, the method of appointing school commissioners; second, the expense of the system. It has been claimed that the appointment of school commissioners by the Judges of the Circuit Courts is *unconstitutional.* The only meaning that can be attached to this word in the present connection is, that the Constitution does not require the Judges to perform the duty; and if they should neglect it, there is no way to compel them to perform it. But as all the Judges, with a single exception, have performed this extra duty, and done it satisfactorily, there seems to be no reason to make a change. This method of appointment has worked well. It is not certain that any other would work better.

"Second. With regard to the expense of the system, your committee would remark, that while the aggregate is large, it is small compared with the work that has to be done. The total annual expenditure for the county schools, including not only teachers' salaries, but buildings, repairs, supervision, and every other expense connected with the administration, may be stated in round numbers at $900,000. For this sum the law requires us to provide school facilities for over 200,000 pupils. It is evident that if all who have a legal right to admission were to avail themselves of the privilege, the funds would be entirely inadequate. The last school report shows that more than 110,000 pupils were educated in the public schools during the year. This proves the cost of education to have been but little more than $8 per capita. If we reckon an average school with one teacher to consist of thirty enrolled pupils, then the average cost of such a school for teacher's salary, repairs of house, fuel, furniture and supervision, with a proportionate allowance for

new buildings, was only $240. It is not possible, under present social conditions, to reduce this amount without destroying the efficiency and risking the existence of the schools. It is very doubtful whether the expenditure has not been already reduced below the point that true economy would indicate. We may be able to hold our own; but the loss of $100,000 annually by the white schools, under the provisions of chapter 91 of 1878, will paralyze our power for future progress, unless the voluntary contributions of the people in the several counties shall make up the deficiency."

The effect of chapter 91, Laws of 1878, has been to lessen the legal income of the white schools $100,000 a year. The actual income has not suffered so great a diminution, owing to the fact that the amount expected by the School Boards was not paid in full for several years previous to 1878. Still, the loss has been sensibly felt. It has retarded the building of school-houses and postponed necessary repairs; it has prevented the schools in some counties from being kept open four terms in the year, as required by law; it has reduced teachers' salaries in some counties and increased local taxation in others. Progress under the circumstances is difficult; and it is very doubtful if the present advanced position can be long maintained. There is no man in Maryland at all conversant with the subject, who does not know that the State tax of ten cents on the hundred dollars was intended for the support of white schools exclusively. In fact, when the tax was first imposed, the colored schools received no part of it whatever, and had no legal right to any part. They were entitled merely to "the total amount of taxes paid for school purposes by the colored people." Laws of 1868, chapter 407—IX.

It was well known to every member of the Legislature of 1872, that the $50,000 then appropriated to the colored schools was to be taken from the general treasury, and not from the proceeds of the public school tax, which, up to that time, had been devoted exclusively to white schools. The words of the school law plainly indicate

that there were two sources of supply—the ten cent tax for the white, and a special appropriation—$50,000 in 1872—for the colored schools. Section 3, sub-chapter XVIII of chapter 377, Laws of 1872, reads thus: "The Comptroller shall apportion *the sum appropriated for the support of the colored schools* of the several counties and the city of Baltimore in proportion to their respective colored population between the ages of five and twenty years; said apportionment to be made at the time he apportions *the levy for the white schools.*" The "levy for the white schools" is thus seen to be distinct from the "sum appropriated" to colored schools. But the language of the appropriation bill is still more convincing. Laws of 1872, chapter 252, title Schools: "To the several counties of this State and Baltimore city, to be apportioned as the Legislature may direct, $525,000 or whatever sum may be paid into the Treasury on account of the levy of public school tax; * * * * * to the several counties and Baltimore city for the education of the colored children, $50,000; for donations to colleges, academies and schools, $31,500, as per Acts and resolutions heretofore passed. To the Deaf and Dumb Asylum at Frederick, $25,000; to the Maryland Institute for the promotion of the Mechanic Arts, $3,000; to the Colored Normal School, $2,000, and for the Maryland Agricultural College the sum of $6,000." How can it be imagined that any one of these items can be paid out of another? Are they not all equally independent? If the $50,000 for the colored schools was to be taken from the $525,000 of public school tax, should not the other items of the paragraph be also paid from the same source? It is most earnestly to be hoped that the General Assembly of 1880 will reconsider this subject, and return to the law as it was understood and executed from 1865 to 1878. Then we may expect that all our schools, white and colored, will be able not only to maintain their present efficiency, but to make further progress.

The two most important items in the administration of a public school system are—first, the honest and judicious expenditure of public money; and secondly, the employment of efficient teachers.

The money is received by the Treasurer of the School Board, who is under a sufficient bond for the faithful performance of his duties, and it is expended by him under the orders of the Board. The largest items of expenditure (probably three-fourths of the whole amount) are for teachers' salaries and incidentals. These are reported by the teachers respectively, under oath; audited and approved by the local trustees; re-audited and re-approved by the County School Board; and finally passed to the Treasurer for settlement, whose bond is responsible if he makes an illegal payment, even after being ordered to do so by the Board, as was made plain by a case decided some years ago in St. Mary's county. The remaining payments, in addition to the fixed salary of the Examiner and the per diem of the School Commissioners, are principally for books, for fuel, and for building and repairs of houses. These items are kept separate, and where it is possible, they are charged against each school separately. Thus a citizen of any county can ascertain, by looking at the annual report, how much any school in which he is interested receives on account of salary, repairs, incidentals, &c. If any false representation is made, the real facts can easily be ascertained.

In the purchase of books and the building of houses it would be too much to claim that no mistakes are ever made. It is sufficient to say that there has been no evidence of either extravagance or dishonesty. It is a great pleasure to be able to put on record that during the fifteen years that have elapsed since the beginning of the system, nearly $12,000,000 have passed through the hands of forty different Treasurers, not only without the loss of a single dollar, but without one plausible charge of serious indiscretion.

As to the selection of teachers: It is difficult to see how the public could be better guarded against the misfortune of having incompetent teachers placed in office than under the present system. First, no teacher can be selected by the Trustees unless he has a certificate of qualifications from a legal Examiner. Secondly, this

selection is not valid until it is confirmed by the County School Board. But thirdly, if he is a "new man," his certificate expires at the end of six months, and cannot be renewed unless the Examiner is satisfied, after careful personal examination, that the "licentiate" has proved to be a competent teacher. (Graduates of the State Normal School are required to spend a year in probation before receiving their permanent diploma). Nor is this all: for fourthy, if a teacher, after all these precautions, should prove incompetent, the Trustees can dismiss him on thirty days' notice; and finally, should the Trustees be unwilling to assume this responsibility, the State Board of Education has power to remove the teacher when the facts are properly presented.

The next most important item is the building of school-houses. The law requires school-houses to be built according to plans approved by the Board of County School Commissioners. It sometimes happens that mistakes are made through the inexperience of these gentlemen; and it would be well to have some uniform plans for their guidance. In this connection the State Board endorses the report adopted by the Association of Public School Commissioners: "In planning a school-house, the first thing to be considered is the number of pupils to be accommodated. It may be assumed that the minimum number is 30. The next point is the number of square feet of floor-space and the number of cubic feet of air-space to be allowed to each pupil. Authorities differ on this point; but no good authority gives less, under any circumstance, than 15 square feet of floor-space by 12 feet of height, or 180 cubic feet of air-space. The best authorities consider double this amount to be desirable, though not practicable. Taking the lowest estimate, the school-room for 30 pupils must have 450 square feet of floor-space and 5,400 cubic feet of air-space. This will be supplied by a house 18 by 25 feet and 12 feet high in the clear. Such a house will contain three rows of double desks, five in each row, with four aisles 18 to 22 inches wide, according to the size of the desks, and a space of 10

feet by 18 for teacher's platform and recitation benches. By diminishing this latter space a little, thirty single desks may be placed in the room. The width of the house must be proportioned to the number of rows of desks which it is proposed to place in it. Assuming the double desks to be used, (as is the case in nearly all our schools), a house should be built to hold three rows in its width, or four rows. It is not convenient to have less than three nor more than four. Consequently, a house or room should be either 18 feet wide or 23.6. These then, are our standards of width for double desks. If a house is to be built for 40 pupils, we may either increase the minimum length or width. By adding 5 feet 4 inches to the minimum length, we have a house 18 feet by 30 feet 4 inches, which will accommodate 42 pupils. For 60 pupils, the house should be 23.6 in width (four rows of desks) by 36 feet long.

"The next point to be considered is the heating and ventilation. Here two rules may be laid down: First—Every school-house should have one or more brick flues, open from the floor to the roof. Second—Every stove should have a pipe to bring in fresh air for its own consumption. The plan formerly so prevalent of running a stove-pipe through the middle of the roof is mentioned only to be condemned. It is unsafe. More houses have been burned through this faulty construction than from all other causes combined; and it makes ventilation impossible. A brick flue is not expensive; it is safe; and by dividing it longitudinally into two sections, it is converted into a ventilating shaft. Even a single flue may be used for the double purpose of carrying off the smoke and discharging the foul air, by entering the stove-pipe near the ceiling, and leaving a hole in the flue near the floor for the exit of cold air. This hole may be fitted with a register, which can be closed, if necessary occasionally, to prevent a down draft.

"So much may be said briefly with regard to building a school-house with one room. If more than one room is needed, the following considerations may be found use-

ful. A country school-house ought generally to have but one story. The small saving in original expense made by building a two-story house is counterbalanced by the continued expense of keeping the stairway in repair and by a great loss of convenience. When the number of scholars does not much exceed sixty, the main room should have desks for all the pupils; and a recitation room, with benches only, should be added. This room should be used for small classes, and should have not less than 300 square feet of floor-space."

The State Board has held during the year the four regular meetings required by law. Several cases of some importance have been adjudicated, and the parties concerned have thus been saved the delay, annoyance and expense of legal processes. The language of the School Law regarding High Schools is very indefinite; and a case having arisen on which a Board of County School Commissioners asked the official judgment of the State Board, the following minutes were entered on the Journal:

"1st. Any public school where branches of learning are taught in addition to those which are required by the School Law to be taught without charge, may, in the discretion of the County School Board, and within the limits prescribed by the School Law, be constituted and declared a High School or High School Department.

"2nd. In a High School or High School Department thus established, the County School Board may, at their discretion, charge a reasonable fee for tuition.

"3rd. In case such fee is not paid, the County School Board may refuse admission to the pupil, or may dismiss such pupil if already admitted."

Sections 11, 13 and 14 of article V, and section 2 of article VII of the By-Laws have been amended to read as follows:

Article V, section 11. Teachers shall purchase, when necessary, such articles as are allowed by section 5, article VII, and may pay for them out of money received for books and stationery, and present receipted bills for the

same, placing the amounts under the proper heads in their term reports.

Sec. 13. *Form of Contract.*—The undersigned, Trustees of Public School No. —, Election District No. —, County of ———, do hereby appoint ——— as Teacher of said School, subject to confirmation by the County School Board, and at such salary as said Board may direct, to take effect on —— day of ———, 18—. This appointment to continue from term to term and from year to year, until revoked according to law, (to wit: by thirty days' notice in writing, signed by at least two Trustees); of which revocation due notice must be given to the County School Board.

Sec. 14. If a teacher wishes to vacate his school, thirty days' notice in writing previous to the end of the term must be given to the Trustees and also to the County School Board. If any teacher leaves without giving notice, he shall be disqualified to serve again, except by consent of the School Board.

Article VII, sec. 2. The school year of ten months shall be divided into four terms as nearly equal as possible, to be called the Fall, Winter, Spring and Summer terms, respectively.

The most important of these amendments is that of section 13 of Article. It is intended to make the tenure of office of a teacher as long and as secure as is possible under the law providing for his possible dismissal on thirty days' notice.

(Signed), P. A. WITMER,
JNO. P. R. GILLISS,
E. HALL RICHARDSON,
JAS. T. WILLIAMS,
M. A. NEWELL, *Secretary.*

REPORT

OF THE

Principal of the State Normal School.

The Principal of the State Normal School is *ex-officio* Superintendent of Public Instruction. When the State school system began in 1865, the Superintendent of Public Instruction was *ex-officio* Principal of the State Normal School. The school law of 1868 reversed the relations; but it did more: it united both offices in one officer.

It would seem hardly to admit of doubt that the time has come when the offices should be separated, and a State Superintendent appointed who could give his whole time and energies to his special work. The only objection that is likely to be made is on the ground of expense; but the importance of the trust should be a sufficient answer to this. There is another and more serious objection: that the office is apt to become a political one, and that appointments will be made to promote partisan rather than educational interests. There is no way of avoiding this danger altogether; but it may be lessened by proper legislation. The practice of rotation in office, unwise as it is when applied to clerical duties, becomes absurd when applied to education. An annual or even a biennial change in the administration of a department which is still in its formative stage would be fatal to healthy growth. But if sufficient permanence could be secured, and the office removed from the class of political rewards, the appointment of a superintendent of ability and experience would contribute greatly to the present efficiency of the school system, and ensure its improvement in the future.

The period covered by this report has been one of great financial depression; and the schools have not entirely escaped the depressing influence of the times. But the

effect has thus far been only to diminish the rate of progress. Had times been better and money more plentiful, the advance would have been greater; but it is matter of congratulation that, under the circumstances, there should have been any improvement at all. With a small decrease in the total expenditures, there has been a small increase both in the total enrolment and the average attendance of pupils, and a slight increase (about one per cent.) in the expenditures for teachers' salaries.

The improvement in the internal management of the schools has been well marked. After visiting schools of all grades in eleven counties, I am able to bear personal testimony to their general efficiency. Much however, remains to be done in order to bring the backward schools up to the level of the best; and this can be accomplished only by the persistent efforts of the County Examiners, aided by the hearty co-operation of the trustees and school commissioners.

In the desire for retrenchment which has pervaded all sections and all parties in the State, it was not to be expected that the schools should be unnoticed; yet the only practical suggestion that I heard in this direction was that $20,000 a year might be saved by abolishing the office of County Examiner. This would be about as wise economy as if a mill owner employing a large number of "hands," were to dismiss his manager in order to save the amount of his salary. The services of the Examiner are simply indispensable; and his ability and fidelity can be accurately measured by the efficiency of the schools which he controls. There is no small economy that would produce such speedy and disastrous results as the lack of a competent administrative officer.

It affords me pleasure to bear witness to the general efficiency and fidelity of the County Examiners. There have been differences in the results obtained by them, but on the whole they have added largely to the productive power of the money expended for public education. The length of time that many of them have been retained in office under many changes of administration, proves

the high estimation in which they have been held by their fellow-citizens. The Examiner of Queen Anne's county has held his place for fifteen years—that is to say, from the beginning of the State school system in 1865. The Examiners in Caroline, Carroll, Cecil, Dorchester, Montgomery, Talbot and Washington counties have been retained for twelve years—from the reorganization of the system under the Constitution of 1867 to the present time. In Baltimore county and Prince George's there have been no changes in the same time, except those caused by death. In Charles and Frederick the Examiners were changed but once in twelve years; and in the remaining counties the average time of service has been four years. At this writing, (January 14, 1880), it is understood that twenty-one of the twenty-three Examiners have been reappointed for a new term of two years.

I have visited and carefully examined the most of the High Schools and some of the largest graded schools in the State during the year. The result was in most cases highly satisfactory. There are symptoms of a reviving taste for classical learning which I trust will not disappoint our expectations. As the public schools have abolished private schools (except in cities) by making them unprofitable, it has become necessary for the former to assume some of the functions of the latter. The Primary Schools are the substitutes of the old county free schools, and the High Schools are the legitimate successors of the old academies. Both Primary and High Schools must be supported, encouraged and extended if we would keep our place in the march of civilization. The expense of the High School is the only plausible, and indeed, the only real argument against it. But it must be borne in mind that in a community that sends one hundred and fifty children to school, we can have a graded school with a High School department at about the same expense as will maintain five county schools having an average attendance of thirty pupils each. Indeed, if the people wish to have it done, and will take the proper means of doing it, algebra can be taught as

cheaply as arithmetic, and Latin grammar as cheaply as English grammar.

Teachers' Institutes or Associations have been held during the year in many, though not in all the counties. The reduction of salaries in some counties, and delay of payment in others, have made the school authorities reluctant to impose any additional burden on the teachers; but wherever these meetings were held the results have justified our highest expectations. The counties of Allegany, Baltimore, Carroll, Cecil, Harford, Kent, Queen Anne, Talbot, Wicomico and Washington may be mentioned as specially active in this line.

The meeting of the State Teachers' Association at Hagerstown in August was well attended and excited great interest. The papers read and the discussions that followed were well calculated to disseminate sound views, both as to the theoretical principles and the practical details of the work of education.

The statistics of the colleges receiving aid from the State will be found in the proper table of this report.

As one of the Trustees of the Agricultural College, I have better facilities for obtaining exact information about its condition than can be gathered from written returns. The improvement in this institution mentioned in my last report has been maintained and increased. Under the cautious but energetic administration of the President, aided by the hearty co-operation of a corps of able and hard-working instructors, the college seems to have taken a new lease of life, and gives cheering evidence that it will yet fulfil the promise of its youth. The harmony in the Board of Trustees has been unbroken, and they have given the President the benefit of their unhesitating and undivided support. To make agriculture the special, but not the exclusive subject of instruction; to give every student a good general education; while those who desire it may devote a large portion of their time to the science and art of tilling the soil, is one of the main objects of the college. But it desires to do more: it aims to diffuse some scientific knowledge of

agriculture among the community; to add dignity to the calling of the farmer by allying science with industry; to send young men to their homes impressed with the conviction that they may be as useful, as honorable, and as happy in the cultivation of the soil as in the walks of commerce or in the practice of law or medicine.

The Visitors and Governors of WASHINGTON COLLEGE report "that during the last scholastic year there were thirty-three students in regular attendance upon the college classes, besides a lecture class of eight who received regular instruction from the college, thus making a total of forty-one students. The nine county scholars provided for by the Act of 1856, chapter 219, and the six provided for by the Act of 1874, chapter 282, were all filled by creditable students, who received tuition, board, books and stationery free of charge, and five indigent scholars in addition have received tuition free of charge. Since the commencement of the present term the county scholarships are all again filled, and there are indications of considerable increase in the number of students. The discipline and management of the institution continue to be eminently satisfactory to the Visitors; and the college is steadily growing in the public favor."

The WESTERN MARYLAND COLLEGE at Westminster is in a satisfactory condition. It is the only college in the State in which young men and young women are received on equal terms and afforded equal advantages. The President reports "that all the scholarships provided for by the State have been availed of, except the one for the Second Senatorial District of Baltimore city. The scholars have all given the required bond, and they have all made good progress in their studies, and bid fair to become useful teachers if they be spared to complete their course."

The MARYLAND INSTITUTE for the Promotion of the Mechanic Arts has stepped into line as one of the most valuable educational auxiliaries of the State. The importance of drawing as a branch of elementary education has long been acknowledged in theory; but there has

been much difficulty in reducing the theory to practice, on account of the lack of qualified teachers. This obstacle is now in a fair way of being removed. Classes for instruction in every department of drawing and painting have been opened at the Maryland Institute, and are attended by large numbers of young persons. Special attention is given to teachers, (of whom a number attend on Saturdays), and the course of instruction is so arranged as to prepare them to teach drawing to others thoroughly and successfully. Considering how much the State has to gain from the prosecution of industrial art, it is reasonable to expect that this enterprise will be encouraged as it deserves. The interesting and valuable report of the Honorable Carroll Spence, Chairman of the Committee of the School of Design, who visited Philadelphia, New York and Boston on a mission of inquiry into the progress and methods of art education in those cities, shows very clearly the vast importance of this subject to our material interests, and encourages the hope that as Baltimore has had, in point of time, the first, and in point of numbers, the largest Art School in the country, she is now about to have the best and the most useful.

The Johns Hopkins University is now in the course of its fourth year of instruction. There are at the present time thirty-two instructors of various grades, and one hundred and forty-five students. There are twenty fellowships open to students from any part of the country, and a larger number of scholarships, giving free tuition, open to young men from Maryland, Virginia, North Carolina and the District of Columbia. Of the present students, eighty-six are from Maryland; the remaining fifty-nine come from twenty-two States of the Union and from three foreign countries. Graduate, undergraduate and special students are received and instructed according to their various requirements. The degrees of Doctor of Philosophy and of Bachelor of Arts have been conferred upon a small number of students who have passed the requisite examinations. Equal care is bestowed upon the scientific and literary departments. Instruction is

given in Greek, Latin, French, German and English, as well as in the Oriental languages; in logic, philosophy, history and political science. The higher mathematics have been taught to students who are disposed to go far beyond the ordinary limits of a college course. In the chemical, physical and biological laboratories, ample arrangements have been made for instruction in chemistry, natural philosophy, zoology, botany and physiology. The scientific apparatus has cost nearly $30,000; the library nearly $25,000. More than 250 literary and scientific periodicals are taken in the reading room, which stands open to the students from 9 A. M. to 10 P. M. Courses of lectures by resident and non-resident professors have been open to the public during a considerable portion of every year. In the second year a teachers' class in physiology was instructed by Dr. Martin; in the third year a teachers' class in zoology was taught by Dr. Brooks—(both involving the constant use of the microscope); and during the present year teachers' classes in early English and mathematics have been promised. The Chesapeake Zoological Laboratory has been maintained for two successive summers, in order to study the marine life of the waters adjacent to Maryland. Four scientific periodicals are issued under the auspices of the university, respectively devoted to mathematics, chemistry, biology and philology. Every exertion is made by the authorities of the university to keep informed in respect to the progress of education in this and other countries, and to adapt the experience thus acquired to the needs of our own State at the present time. The President and professors desire to be in hearty co-operation with all the other educational agencies of the State.

The State Normal School continues to perform satisfactorily the work for which it was established. Its graduates are much sought after as teachers, and they aid in diffusing the principles of the "new education" throughout the State. Many students who have not completed the course of instruction also find employment as teachers. Most of them give satisfaction to their em-

ployers, but the school should be held responsible for its graduates only. Since the organization of the school, in 1866, there have been 222 graduates (not reckoning a small number who received Primary diplomas in the early years), and of these 177 are now teaching; 16 (ladies) are married; 10 are dead; 4 (gentlemen) taught for several years and then went into other employments; and one (lady) gave up teaching on account of ill health. The remaining 14 are temporarily unemployed for various reasons.

The number of students (including graduates) who are known to have taught not less than two years after leaving the Normal School is 566. Their names are published in the Annual Catalogue of 1879.

In order to accommodate teachers whose schools close about the 15th of April, a short Summer session was held, beginning May 1st and ending June 15th. It was attended by twenty earnest and enthusiastic teachers, and the results were such as to encourage the faculty to continue the experiment.

It is a common complaint among half-educated people, and it is re-echoed by some theoretical educators, that our common schools teach too many things. In a certain sense this is true; but in a deeper sense it is the reverse of the truth. Our common schools might be raised to a higher level than they now occupy, and yet teach nothing but speaking, reading, writing and arithmetic. It is not necessary to teach spelling as a separate art. He who has been properly taught to read will be able to spell all that he has read, and more is useless. When we teach a person to read, we teach him the art of getting knowledge from a printed book. He has not learned to *read*—he may have learned the names of words—till he has acquired this art. But an art is acquired by practice. He must, therefore, practice the art of acquiring knowledge from a printed book. I do not mean the art of memorizing and reciting words, which is quite a different thing. Now on what subjects shall he practice this art? Can there be anything better adapted to the purpose, more useful, or more interesting than books containing infor-

mation about this world in which we live (geography); about the people who have lived in it (history); about our own bodies (physiology); about right and wrong (morals)? Such readings are not out of place in elementary schools; if children are to be taught to read at all, that is, to acquire knowledge out of printed books, they should be taught to read something worth acquiring and worth retaining. The art of reading, in this sense, cannot be attained without much practice on real subjects. Between ordinary school reading and real reading there is as much difference as there is between a dress parade and a hard fought battle. Again, every one acknowledges that children should be taught to speak correctly. But "speaking correctly" is another phrase for the art called "grammar," which, also, can only be acquired by practice. Writing is taught for the purpose of enabling us to express our thoughts on paper. If we stop short of this, we merely climb a staircase without entering the room. Writing so as to express thoughts is another art—composition—which, like the rest, can only be acquired by practice. Not to speak of arithmetic, about which, curiously enough, there is no dispute, we see that all, and more than our common schools teach, can be embraced in the traditional three "R's." How then can it be said, in any sense, that the schools teach too much? They (I am speaking of the least progressive among them) teach too much spelling, too much naming of words, too much memorizing of words, too many technical definitions in grammar, too many unrelated and unretained facts in geography and history, too many intricate, perplexing and comparatively useless processes in arithmetic. It would be better far to have the three "R's" taught in the way I have suggested by a zealous, intelligent, sympathetic teacher, who would bring his mind into contact with the minds of his pupils, and develop thereby the "living fire of thought," than a whole cyclopedia taught by a stupid book-worm or a rigid pedagogue of the lesson-hearing school. The instruction of our common schools should enable one who has attended them from

his sixth to his sixteenth year to understand what he reads; to form an independent judgment on questions which he understands; to express his thoughts correctly, both in speaking and writing, on subjects within range of his knowledge, and to refrain from expressing or forming an opinion on matters about which he has not sufficient information.

M. A. NEWELL,
Principal.

STATE TABLES.

TABLE A.—*Population of Maryland according to the United States Census of* 1870.

Counties.	White.	Colored.	Indians.	Chinese.	Totals.	Between 5 and 20 years of age
*Allegany	37,370	1,166	..	..	38,536	14,062
Anne Arundel	12,725	11,732	..	..	24,457	8,224
Baltimore	55,024	8,363	..	..	63,387	24,852
Calvert	4,332	5,533	..	..	9,865	3,653
Caroline	8,343	3 758	..	..	12,101	4,288
Carroll	26,444	2,175	..	..	28,619	10,068
Cecil	21,860	4,014	..	..	25,874	9,013
Charles	6,418	9,318	2	..	15,738	6,259
Dorchester	11,902	7,556	..	1	19,458	7,996
Frederick	39,999	7,572	..	..	47,572	17,394
Harford	17,750	4,855	..	..	22,605	7,343
Howard	10,676	3,474	..	..	14,150	5,277
Kent	9,370	7,732	..	..	17,192	6,573
Montgomery	13,128	7,434	1	..	20,563	7,304
Prince George	11,358	9,780	..	..	21,138	7,078
Queen Anne	9,579	6,592	..	..	16,171	6,159
St. Mary	7,218	7,726	..	..	14,944	5,718
Somerset	10,916	7,274	..	..	18,190	7,293
Talbot	9,471	6,666	..	..	16,137	5,703
Washington	31,874	2,838	..	..	34,712	12,663
Wicomico	11,396	4,406	..	..	15,802	6,591
Worcester	10,550	5 869	.	..	16,419	6,370
Baltimore city	227,794	39,558	1	1	267,354	85,439
Totals	605,497	175,391	4	2	780,894	276,120

*Including Garrett.

TABLE B.—*Statement showing the Quarterly Distribution of the State School Tax to the several Counties and the City of Baltimore, for the year ending September 30, 1879, as reported by the Comptroller.*

COUNTIES.	October 1878.	January 1879.	March 1879.	June 1879.	Totals.
Allegany	$4,264 75	$3,758 03	$2,452 05	$3,758 03	$14,232 86
Anne Arundel	3,361 88	2,962 62	1,933 03	2,962 62	11,220 15
Baltimore	10,160 24	8,952 68	5,841 48	8,952 68	33,907 08
Calvert	1,493 03	1,315 96	858 64	1,315 96	4,983 59
Caroline	1,752 64	1,544 74	1,007 90	1,544 74	5,850 02
Carroll	4,115 80	3,626 90	2,366 49	3,626 90	13,736 09
Cecil	3,684 46	3,246 84	2,118 51	3,246 84	12,296 65
Charles	2,558 49	2,254 78	1,471 18	2,254 78	8 539 23
Dorchester	3,268 66	2,880 48	1,879 47	2,880 48	10,909 09
Frederick	7,111 04	6,266 32	4,088 47	6,266 32	23,732 15
Garrett	1,484 00	1,307 67	* 853 23	1,307 67	4,952 57
Harford	3,601 80	3,174 37	2,071 03	3,174 37	12,021 57
Howard	2,157 00	1,900 99	1,240 36	1,900 99	7,199 34
Kent	2,686 07	2,367 86	1,544 99	2,367 86	8,966 78
Montgomery	2,986 74	2,632 20	1,716 81	2,632 20	9,967 95
Prince George	3,220 42	2,837 97	1,851 73	2,837 97	10,748 09
Queen Anne	2,517 61	2,218 72	1,447 68	2,218 72	8,402 73
St. Mary	2,337 30	2,059 85	1,344 02	2,059 85	7,801 02
Somerset	2,981 24	2,627 23	1,714 23	2,627 23	9,949 93
Talbot	2,332 17	2,054 45	1,340 50	2,054 45	7,781 57
Washington	5,176 77	4,561 72	2,976 45	4,561 72	17,276 66
Wicomico	2,694 23	2,374 34	1,549 22	2,374 34	8,992 13
Worcester	2,603 87	2,294 73	1,497 27	2,294 73	8,690 60
Totals	$78,550 21	$69,221 45	$45,164 74	$69,221 45	$262,157 85
Baltimore City	34,931 23	30,778 55	20,082 50	30,778 55	116,570 83
Totals	$113,481 44	$100,000 00	$65,247 24	$100,000 00	$378,728 68

*This amount not paid, the schools not having been kept open 7½ months, as required by law.

TABLE C.—*Statement showing the Receipts from State School Tax, Free School and Academic Funds, State Appropriation to Colored Schools and County Tax for the year ending September* 30, 1879.

COUNTIES.	State School Tax.*	Free School Fund.*	Academic Fund.	Colored Schools.*	Total from State.	County School Tax.	Grand Total.
Allegany	$14,232 86	$1,882 94	$ 800 00	$ 604 08	$17,519 88	$35,000 00	$ 52,519 88
Anne Arundel	11,220 15	1,964 17	1,388 20	6,812 00	21,384 52	15 772 73	37,157 25
Baltimore	33,907 08	3,124 55	2,400 00	4,384 08	43,815 71	82,882 01	126,697 72
Calvert	4,983 59	1,070 72	1,200 00	3,489 40	10,743 71	2,933 60	13,677 31
Caroline	5,850 02	1,547 48	1,200 00	2,304 20	10,901 70	6,605 40	17,507 10
Carroll	13,736 09	2,847 17	.....	1,166 48	17,749 74	21,000 00	38,749 74
Cecil	12,296 65	1,869 02	.....	2,171 88	16,337 55	24,250 29	40,587 84
Charles	8,539 23	1,125 77	400 00	5,862 68	15,927 68	3,360 97	19,288 65
Dorchester	10,909 09	1,868 58	.....	4,591 20	17,368 87	9,100 46	26,469 33
Frederick	23,732 15	4,177 03	.....	4,056 52	31,965 70	25,750 06	57,715 76
Garrett	4,099 34	1,211 94	.....	.....	5,311 28	8,500 00	13,811 28
Harford	12,021 57	1,818 02	300 00	2,945 72	17,085 31	15,361 18	32,446 49
Howard	7,199 34	1,622 57	1,209 00	1,954 68	11,976 59	8,994 88	20,971 47
Kent	8,966 78	1,637 73	.....	4,432 96	15,037 47	9,739 30	24,776 77
Montgomery	9,967 95	2,623 89	.....	4,176 96	16,768 80	18,955 67	35,724 47
Prince George	10,748 09	1,796 58	800 00	5,763 44	19,108 11	9,792 45	28,900 56
Queen Anne	8,402 73	1,692 75	1,000 00	3,982 76	15,078 24	16,199 80	31,278 04
St. Mary	7,801 02	1,403 77	400 00	4,591 20	14,195 99	3,675 92	17,871 91
Somerset	9,949 93	1,595 04	400 00	4,457 44	16,402 41	5,581 35	21,983 76
Talbot	7,781 57	1,868 05	1,200 00	3,733 92	14,583 54	12,250 00	26,833 54
Washington	17,276 66	2,834 75	1,200 00	1 509 00	22,820 41	37,000 00	59,820 41
Wicomico	8,992 13	1,633 99	1,200 00	2 853 68	14,679 80	6,683 02	21,362 82
Worcester	8,690 60	1,561 82	1,200 00	3,597 28	15,049 70	5,100 00	20,149 07
Totals	$261,304 62	$44,778 33	$16,288 20	$79,441 56	$401,812 71	$384,489 09	$786,301 80
Baltimore City	116,570 83	8,700 57	.....	18,558 44	143,829 84	404,339 37	548,169 21
Totals	$377,875 45	$53,478 90	$16,288 20	$98,000 00	$545,642 55	$788,828 46	$1,334,471 01

*As per Comptroller's statement.

TABLE D.—*Receipts of the several County Schools Boards from all sources for the year ending September* 30, 1879, *as per Statement rendered by the Treasurers of the several School Boards.*

COUNTIES.	State School Tax.	Free School Fund.	State Donations.	Appropriation to Colored Schools.	County Tax.	Books and Stationery.	Loans.	Other Sources.	Interest.	Balances on hand Sept. 30, 1878.	Totals.
Allegany	$14,232 86	$1,882 94	$ 800 00	$ 604 08	$25,000 00	$2,922 47	$1,000 00	$1,662 87	.....	$ 176 37	$58,281 59
Anne Arundel	11,220 15	1,964 17	1,388 20	6,812 00	15,772 73	534 41	.....	3,150 33	.....	3,260 81	44,102 80
Baltimore	42,859 76	6,264 85	2,400 00	5,480 10	82,882 01	16,319 82	.....	443 15	.....	24,153 50	180,803 19
Calvert	1,983 59	1,070 72	1,200 00	3,489 30	2,933 60	212 70	.....	744 80	.....	561 07	15,195 78
Caroline	5,850 12	1,547 48	1,200 00	2,304 20	6,605 40	210 70	.....	.....	$511 73	143 16	18,372 79
Carroll	13,736 09	2,847 17	.....	1,166 48	21,000 00	4,222 90	.....	5,180 41	156 72	5,471 69	53,781 46
Cecil	12,296 65	1,869 02	.....	2,171 88	24,250 29	7,748 21	.....	143 75	.....	697 77	49,177 57
Charles	8,539 23	1,125 77	400 00	5,862 68	3,360 97	258 47	.....	64 60	.....	2,163 13	21,774 85
Dorchester	10,909 11	1,868 58	.....	4,591 20	9,160 46	1,722 39	.....	2,743 11	.....	.....	30,934 88
Frederick	23,732 15	4,177 03	.....	4,056 52	25,750 06	7,243 57	4,938 67	633 70	.....	1,693 93	72,225 63
Garrett	4,099 34	1,211 94	.....	.....	8,500 00	56 68	2,400 00	.....	.....	1,305 45	17,573 41
Harford	12,021 57	1,818 02	300 00	2,945 72	15,361 18	5,404 88	1,000 00	160 31	781 50	645 72	40,438 90
Howard	7,199 34	1,622 57	1,200 00	1,954 68	8,994 88	780 24	.....	.....	.....	.....	21,751 71
Kent	8,966 78	1,637 73	.....	4,132 96	9,739 30	.....	.....	699 15	.....	5,203 44	30,679 36
Montgomery	9,967 95	2,623 89	.....	4,176 96	18,955 67	873 47	62 41	25 28	.....	294 01	36,979 64
Prince George	10,748 09	1,796 58	800 00	5,763 44	9,792 45	560 75	.....	50 00	.....	4,546 00	33,997 31
Queen Anne	8,402 73	1,692 75	1,000 00	3,982 76	16,199 80	1,751 44	.....	1,327 81	804 00	906 52	36,067 81
St. Mary	7,801 02	1,403 77	400 00	4,591 20	3,675 92	857 32	.....	795 65	.....	4,236 68	23,761 56
Somerset	9,949 93	1,595 04	400 00	4,457 44	5,581 35	61 11	5,371 40	1,884 33	.....	.....	29,300 60
Talbot	7,781 57	1,868 05	1,200 00	3,733 92	12,250 00	675 81	.....	1,225 13	.....	1,101 37	29,835 85
Washington	17,276 66	2,834 75	1,200 00	1,509 00	37,000 00	.....	5,064 74	891 63	72 00	166 65	66,015 43
Wicomico	8,992 13	1,633 99	1,200 00	2,853 68	6,683 02	672 78	.....	200 00	.....	2,471 24	24,706 84
Worcester	8,690 60	1,561 82	1,200 00	3,597 28	5,100 00	.....	.....	1,519 05	2,045 63	8,398 50	32,112 88
Totals	$270,257 42	$47,918 63	$16,288 20	$80,537 48	$384,489 09	$53,030 12	$19,837 22	$23,545 09	$4,371 58	$67,597 01	$967,871 84

TABLE E.—*Statement showing Details of Disbursements for Public School purposes, and the Totals for the year ending September 30, 1879.*

Counties.	Teachers' Salaries.	Incidental Expenses, including Fuel and Rent.	Books and Stationery.	Building, Repairing and Furnishing School-houses.	Supervision and Office Expenses.	Miscellaneous.	Interest.	Indebtedness paid.	Balances on hand September 30, 1879.	Totals.
Allegany	$ 35,388 42	$ 1,702 24	$ 3,454 32	$ 11,621 41	$ 2,150 09	$ 1,100 86	$ 253 83	$ 2,370 00	$ 240 42	$ 58,281 59
Anne Arundel	31,146 25	2,402 54	2,741 59	4,963 17	2,295 15	554 10	.....	.....	.....	44,102 80
Baltimore	91,937 06	7,551 33	12,744 26	31,898 65	3,928 31	1,003 10	.....	.....	31,740 48	180,803 19
Calvert	11,515 26	382 23	326 50	959 74	1,086 13	32 75	.....	.....	893 17	15,195 78
Caroline	10,206 12	932 59	1,550 72	2,887 91	778 80	231 97	170 17	1,524 75	89 76	18,372 79
Carroll	32,051 35	2,581 92	3,694 04	7,717 51	1,937 29	60 00	161 32	2,688 40	2,889 63	53,781 46
Cecil	34,089 83	3,211 66	5,685 36	1,088 48	1,550 00	.....	.....	371 94	180 30	49,177 57
Charles	15,737 70	811 99	1,041 78	1,073 14	673 54	213 45	.....	.....	2,223 25	21,774 85
Dorchester	23,553 39	1,413 30	1,328 28	2,152 82	1,877 30	144 25	8 25	457 19	.....	30,934 88
Frederick	46,855 99	4,630 50	6,724 65	10,370 92	2,452 44	390 30	507 77	.....	293 06	72,225 63
Garrett	10,231 35	939 63	388 62	1,920 51	1,309 98	258 12	750 19	522 37	1,252 64	17,573 41
Harford	27,010 26	3,765 68	2,445 16	2,606 78	1,516 42	1,420 44	116 70	1,300 00	257 46	40,438 90
Howard	16,671 95	913 94	1,288 39	403 94	1,336 00	181 67	.....	955 82	.....	21,751 71
Kent	23,887 95	1,826 21	105 35	2,578 59	1,558 39	212 54	.....	.....	510 33	30,679 36
Montgomery	28,354 21	1,003 50	2,560 45	628 74	1,173 64	.....	268 80	2,968 50	21 80	36,979 64
Prince George	24,649 24	1,946 52	1,111 13	2,793 26	1,138 97	208 13	274 33	944 88	630 85	33,997 31
Queen Anne	26,195 60	1,653 27	1,857 43	3,164 07	2,335 04	57 25	11 44	.....	793 71	36,067 81
St. Mary	15,878 38	536 48	768 94	1,864 15	1,050 71	105 08	.....	199 19	3,358 63	23,761 56
Somerset	22,731 69	208 67	722 98	690 47	1,529 50	126 05	.....	.....	3,291 24	29,300 60
Talbot	23,101 80	1,241 10	900 41	2,701 29	1,338 86	69 00	47 00	.....	436 39	29,835 85
Washington	49 660 16	3,188 44	677 27	8,137 14	2,299 75	351 90	1,252 70	.....	348 07	66,015 43
Wicomico	17,239 64	624 27	1,162 53	1,017 85	1,155 72	104 49	.....	.....	3,402 34	24,706 84
Worcester	20,380 29	1,409 69	.....	1,132 24	1,428 79	404 69	.....	.....	7,357 18	32,112 88
Total	$638,473 89	$44,877 70	$53,580 16	$107,372 78	$37,900 82	$7,230 24	$3,922 50	$14,303 04	$60,210 71	$967,871 84

TABLE F.—*Statement showing the Number of Pupils in the Primary Grades, and Special Studies, for the year ending Sept. 30, 1879*

Counties.	1st Grade.	2nd Grade.	3rd Grade.	4th Grade.	5th Grade.	6th Grade.	Above 6th.	Book-keep'g	Algebra.	Philosophy.	Drawing.	Geometry.	Physiology.	Latin.	Greek.	French.	German.	Music.	Botany.
Allegany	1,876	1,199	1,229	1,217	933	523	40	40	37	11	....	19	2	11	....	....	....	....	....
Anne Arundel	1,199	637	663	526	314	248	18	4	12	48	....	3	7	....	....	....	....	....	....
Baltimore	1,581	1,269	1,773	1,882	1,318	588	96	96	684	96	375	96	684	61	....	....	427	....	114
Calvert	463	215	269	164	85	67	16	12	25	28	....	8	12	6	....	....	....	....	....
Caroline	627	510	395	313	225	135	95	12	62	86	....	72	93	22	....	....	....	....	....
Carroll	1,177	950	1,238	1,253	889	450	385	44	93	162	40	25	94	....	....	....	....	37	4
Cecil	523	581	751	749	745	524	64	70	113	82	24	42	46	....	....	....	....	....	....
*Charles	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Dorchester	828	589	668	746	695	481	299	22	104	144	....	64	95	38	....	....	....	....	....
Frederick	1,371	1,172	1,450	1,739	1,443	991	245	104	239	487	55	125	281	10	....	....	....	55	....
Garrett	874	635	604	453	426	152	7	....	7	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Harford	471	467	539	806	712	685	106	40	125	81	....	92	63	26	....	....	....	....	....
Howard	358	319	351	357	290	177	40	27	37	92	....	11	6	9	....	....	....	....	....
Kent	660	544	517	490	341	279	102	37	83	57	....	37	85	24	....	....	....	....	....
Montgomery	732	648	643	717	621	484	169	26	96	69	58	35	59	16	....	....	....	....	....
Prince George	388	333	307	292	219	125	34	21	52	30	164	9	26	4	....	....	....	....	....
Queen Anne	624	370	500	327	245	122	9	44	58	80	35	34	92	10	....	....	....	....	....
St. Mary	725	490	415	289	137	76	9	....	4	14	18	5	97	19	....	....	....	....	....
Somerset	766	645	640	468	379	197	88	20	74	77	....	30	84	51	....	....	....	....	....
Talbot	575	374	372	300	175	120	148	81	122	85	175	52	92	165	9	72	....	....	....
Washington	1,654	1,238	1,159	1,256	1,139	914	519	188	474	231	30	266	167	112	19	....	10	....	....
Wicomico	782	576	709	664	543	305	60	1	28	17	....	13	27	22	2	....	....	....	....
Worcester	857	470	413	374	260	114	107	7	103	45	....	64	52	84	....	....	....	....	....
Total	19,111	14,231	15,605	15,382	12,134	7,757	2,656	896	2,632	2,022	974	1,102	2,164	690	30	72	437	92	118

*Grades not given.

TABLE G.—*Statement Showing the number of Schools, the number of Teachers, Male and Female; months Schools were open; number of different Pupils; average number of Pupils enrolled and in attendance, and the highest number of Pupils enrolled in one term, for the year ending September 30, 1879.*

Counties.	No. of Schools.	Months Schools were open.	No. of Teachers.			No. of Different Pupils.	Average No. of Pupils.		Highest enrollment in one term
			Male.	Female.	Total.		Enrolled.	In Attendance.	
Allegany	78	7½	63	67	130	7,722	6,611	4,449	6,883
Anne Arundel	72	10	45	52	97	4,444	3,354	1,848	3,743
Baltimore	153	10	90	121	211	11,887	8,190	5,772	8,673
Calvert	36	10	19	17	36	1,717	1,321	637	1,531
Caroline	63	6¾-11	32	38	70	3,141	2,026	1,529	2,638
Carroll	121	7½	77	53	130	6,332	5,397	3,497	5,865
Cecil	86	8½	30	80	110	5,542	3,313	2,504	3,733
Charles	64	9	34	35	69	2,527	1,825	950	2,090
Dorchester	103	8½	72	44	116	4,873	3,934	2,236	4,228
Frederick	158	7½	112	75	187	9,956	8,041	5,419	9,034
Garrett	85	5	67	26	93	3,219	2,950	1,835	3,061
Harford	94	8¾	50	75	125	4,899	3,198	2,138	3,786
Howard	45	10	29	17	46	2,589	1,786	1,098	1,968
Kent	60	10	34	36	70	3,782	2,688	1,547	2,952
Montgomery	81	10	65	31	96	4,873	3,513	2,145	3,874
Prince George	63	10	36	35	71	3,595	2,712	1,605	2,978
Queen Anne	68	10	35	33	68	3,968	2,635	1,417	3,008
St. Mary	57	10	43	14	57	2,761	1,942	947	2,292
Somerset	66	9	38	43	81	3,969	3,348	1,975	3,295
Talbot	55	10	26	43	69	3,297	2,357	1,442	2,685
Washington	127	7½	132	45	177	8,743	7,403	5,161	7,882
Wicomico	70	7½	44	30	74	4,142	3,182	1,857	3,676
Worcester	79	10	43	43	86	4,116	2,695	1,710	3,511
Totals	1,884	203	1,216	1,053	2,269	112,094	84,421	53,768	93,386

TABLE H.—WHITE SCHOOLS.—*Statement showing the Number of Months Schools were open; the Cost of Schools; the average Cost of each Pupil per month and per year; the amount paid for Teachers' Salaries, and the Average amount paid each Teacher, per month and per year, for the year* 1879

COUNTIES.	Number Months Schools were open.	Cost of Schools.	Average Cost per Pupil per Month.	Average Cost per Pupil per year.	Amount paid Teachers' Salaries.	Average Salary per Month of Actual Teaching	Average Salary per School Year.	Value of School Property in each County.
Allegany	7½	$ 40,495 43	$ 72	$5 39	$ 34,481 64	$36 49	$273 66	$Not reported.
Anne Arundel	10	29,664 64	66	6 68	21,917 85	21 56	215 65	Not reported.
Baltimore	10	103,517 66	95	9 53	85,276 55	46 34	463 46	216,235 00
Calvert	10	10,270 15	1 19	11 93	8,038 75	36 54	365 40	Not reported.
Caroline	6 4-11	11,038 52	75	4 75	8,794 56	28 79	183 22	Not reported.
Carroll	7½	37,301 70	81	6 11	31,155 55	34 68	260 13	Not reported.
Cecil	8½	45,107 87	96	8 14	31,206 07	36 58	305 94	64,225 00
Charles	9	14,065 31	1 16	10 47	10,774 60	29 93	269 37	Not reported.
Dorchester	8½	23,881 52	81	6 91	20,315 01	27 16	230 85	Not reported.
Frederick	7½	58,803 91	90	6 78	42,321 28	30 18	226 32	73,950 00
Garrett	5	14,916 26	93	4 66	10,134 62	22 03	110 16	Not reported.
Harford	8¾	31,199 95	85	7 41	24,454 84	26 12	228 55	56,600 00
Howard	10	17,698 14	87	8 70	14,954 95	39 35	393 55	Not reported.
Kent	10	23,784 31	96	9 68	19,391 81	38 02	380 23	13,918 00
Montgomery	10	26,587 45	79	7 94	23,983 51	34 26	342 62	37,900 00
Prince George	10	23,707 66	1 08	10 83	19,282 93	40 17	401 73	35,300 00
Queen Anne	10	29,384 20	1 03	10 36	22,178 50	41 07	410 71	45,300 00
St Mary	10	14,382 89	90	9 01	12,262 00	30 65	306 50	Not reported.
Somerset	9	19,907 27	82	7 39	18,084 52	33 49	301 41	Not reported.
Talbot	10	23,166 80	1 05	10 51	20,048 00	37 12	371 26	23,100 00
Washington	7½	56,692 59	93	6 94	49,183 87	39 99	299 90	128,024 00
Wicomico	7½	16,630 00	69	5 20	14,142 29	31 43	235 71	Not reported.
Worcester	10	20,155 41	65	6 51	17,039 84	26 21	262 15	25,775 00

TABLE I—COLORED SCHOOLS—*Statement showing the number of Schools; number of Teachers, Male and Female; number of different Pupils; average number of Pupils enrolled and in attendance, and highest enrollment for one term, for the year ending September 30, 1879.*

Counties.	No. of Schools.	Months Schools were open.	No. of Teachers.			No. of Different Pupils.	Average No. of Pupils.		Highest enrollment in one term.
			Male.	Female	Total.		Enrolled.	In Attendance.	
Allegany	4	7½	4	..	4	216	169	119	192
Anne Arundel	25	10	14	16	30	2,083	1,520	769	1,765
Baltimore	27	10	15	12	27	1,028	653	455	741
Calvert	14	10	9	5	14	856	671	269	759
Caroline	15	5	8	7	15	816	576	308	709
Carroll	5	7½	4	1	5	232	187	104	219
Cecil	8	8½	..	..	8	490	247	198	328
Charles	24	10	14	12	26	1,183	826	397	968
Dorchester	26	6	21	7	28	1,418	972	636	1,280
Frederick	23	7½	20	6	26	1,280	1,005	683	1,162
Garrett	1	5	..	1	1	21	20	14	21
Harford	17	7½	11	7	18	691	491	316	578
Howard	8	10	8	..	8	555	338	179	412
Kent	18	10	12	7	19	1,324	840	395	997
Montgomery	24	10	16	10	26	1,525	1,061	626	1,192
Prince George	22	10	17	6	23	1,408	1,021	570	1,208
Queen Anne	15	10	8	7	15	1,133	735	292	928
St. Mary	17	10	17	..	17	1,164	761	327	981
Somerset	21	9	17	4	21	1,277	921	531	1,020
Talbot	13	10	6	9	15	1,092	722	434	895
Washington	13	7½	12	1	13	569	454	303	473
Wicomico	14	7½	11	4	15	951	756	411	858
Worcester	19	7½	15	6	21	1,019	780	465	895
Totals	373	195	259	128	387	22,331	15,726	8,801	18,581

TABLE K—COLORED SCHOOLS—*Statement showing the Number of Months Schools were open; the Cost of Schools; the average Cost of each Pupil per month and per year; the amount paid for Teachers' Salaries, and the average Amount paid each Teacher, per month and per year, for the year* 1879.

COUNTIES.	No. Months Schools were Open.	Cost of Schools.	Average Cost per Pupil per Month.	Average Cost per Pupil per Year.	Amu't paid Teachers' Salaries.	Average Salary per Month.	Average Salary per Year.
Allegany	7½	$ 906 78	$ 56	$4 20	$ 873 17	$29 11	$ 218 19
Anne Arundel	10	11,555 88	55	5 54	8,428 40	28 09	280 95
Baltimore	10	7,253 73	70	7 06	6,660 51	24 66	246 69
Calvert	10	3,672 71	42	4 29	3,476 51	24 83	248 32
Caroline	5	1,637 17	40	2 00	1,411 56	18 82	94 10
Carroll	7½	983 26	57	4 24	895 80	23 89	179 16
Cecil	8½	3,303 15	67	6 04	2,883 76	42 41	360 47
Charles	10	6,042 58	51	5 11	4,963 10	19 09	190 90
Dorchester	6	3,492 18	41	2 46	3,238 38	19 28	115 66
Frederick	7½	5,278 54	55	4 13	4,534 71	23 25	174 41
Garrett	5	111 73	1 06	5 32	96 73	19 35	96 73
Harford	7½	3,312 82	64	4 79	2,555 42	18 93	141 97
Howard	10	1,809 36	33	3 26	1,717 00	21 46	214 62
Kent	10	5,559 04	42	4 20	4,496 14	23 66	236 64
Montgomery	10	4,719 05	30	3 09	4,370 70	16 81	168 10
Prince George	10	6,753 19	48	4 80	5,366 31	23 33	233 32
Queen Anne	10	4,332 47	38	3 82	4,017 10	26 78	267 81
St. Mary	10	4,396 24	37	3 78	3,616 38	21 33	213 32
Somerset	9	5,029 11	42	4 28	4,546 27	21 64	216 49
Talbot	10	3,602 59	33	3 30	3,053 80	20 35	203 59
Washington	7½	3,301 87	77	5 80	2,645 50	33 87	253 99
Wicomico	7½	3,320 97	47	3 49	3,097 35	27 53	206 49
Worcester	7½	3,554 54	47	3 49	3,340 45	21 21	159 07

TABLE L.—COLLEGES.

Name of College.	No. of Students.		No. of Instructors.	No. of Free Scholarships.	Amount of State Donation.	Charge for Boarding per Month.	Greek.	Latin.	French.	German.	Algebra.	Geometry.	Natural Philosophy	Chemistry.	Physiology.	Botany.	Geology.	Logic.	Rhetoric.	English Literature.	Drawing.	Instrumental Music.
	Male.	Female.																				
St. John's	101	.....	12	75	$ 20,200 00	$20 00	52	88	18	30	42	41	36	5	20	20	..	5	20	36	....	..
State Normal School	27	201	12	200	10,500 00	18 00	..	228	..	..	228	228	92	34	213	213	..	..	34	213	228	..
Western Maryland	78	54	13	11	8,890 00	18 00	50	116	29	1	70	27	21	15	36	6	7	6	30	12	3	16
Maryland Agricultural	77	.....	7	60	6,000 00	22 00	..	21	21	19	33	24	27	18	14	17	..	..	16	4	....	..
Baltimore Female	.....	71	8	25	2,500 00	20 00	1	5	8	5	14	14	14	14	14	14	..	5	18	14	....	20
Washington	41	.....	3	20	5,000 00	17 50	22	28	4	11	13	13	8	..	....	....	..	6	12	....	....	..
Frederick	93	.....	3	10	800 00	.....	2	13	..	..	27	8	21	8	9	....	..	..	..	....	....	..

TABLE M.—*Academies and Schools receiving State Donations.*

Academy.	Counties.	State Donations.	No. of Teachers.	No. of Pupils.	Greek.	Latin.	French.	German.	Algebra.	Geometry.	Trigonometry.	Natural Philosophy	Chemistry.	Physiology.	Botany.	Geology.	Logic.	Rhetoric.	English Literature.	Drawing.	Vocal Music.	Instrumental Music.
Allegany	Allegany	$ 800 00	3	57	8	19	..	10	19	19	..	40	..	..	..	..	..	19	57	..	..	..
Anne Arundel	Anne Arundel	400 00	1	27	1	17	3	4	7	3	..	11	..	..	..	..	..	13	..	..	..	..
Patapsco	Anne Arundel	400 00	1	35	..	3	..	..	1	..	..	5	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..
West Nottingham	Cecil	500 00	2	45	10	20	..	1	20	12	..	5	..	9	..	..	..	3	10	..	..	..
North East Classical	Cecil	200 00	1	32	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	6	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	14	..	4
Cambridge Female	Dorchester	500 00	4	29	..	5	4	..	8	3	..	8	..	8	12	..	..	8	3	..	..	12
St. John's Literary Institute	Frederick	400 00	3	80	15	15	4	3	6	10	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	30	4	..	..
Deaf and Dumb Institute	Frederick	25,000 00	8	95	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Darlington	Harford	400 00	2	88	1	7	..	..	10	10	..	2	..	10	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..
Millington	Kent	200 00	1	121	..	3	..	..	4	3	..	5	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	..
Shrewsbury	Kent	100 00	1	120	..	12	..	..	15	15	..	15	..	15	13	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Brookeville	Montgomery	600 00	1	15	..	6	2	2	9	4	..	2	5	..	..	..	..	..	15	..	..	..
Upper Marlboro'	Prince George	800 00	1	48	3	8	..	2	6	6	..	6	..	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Centreville	Queen Anne	600 00	1	32	..	9	..	..	2	5	..	9	..	5	..	..	..	..	4	..	..	..
St. Mary's Female Seminary	St. Mary	2,500 00	4	20	..	2	10	..	8	2	..	8	6	4	..	..	2	4	2	..	..	16
Charlotte Hall	St. Mary	1,600 00	3	49	15	35	7	3	12	12	..	13	14	14	..	..	..	7	..	..	..	..
East New Market	Dorchester	228 57	1	47	..	8	..	1	9	6	..	8	2	4	..	..	..	5	..	..	..	..
Rockville	Montgomery	800 00	1	22	1	10	1	1	12	6	..	7	4	4	..	..	..	8	8	..	..	..
Church Hill	Queen Anne	200 00	2	140	..	1	..	..	3	7	..	..	..	15	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..

REPORT

FROM THE

SCHOOL COMMISSIONERS

OF

BALTIMORE CITY.

BALTIMORE CITY SCHOOLS—*Statement showing the number of Schools, Teachers, Pay Pupils, Free Pupils on Roll November 20, 1879; Average Attendance, number of different Pupils, and Per Centage of Attendance.*

Schools, &c.	No. Schools.	No. Teachers.	No. Pay Pupils.	No. Free Pupils.	No. on Roll Nov. 20th, 1879.	Average Attendance.	No. of different Pupils in School during the year.	Per cent. of Attendance.
Baltimore City College	1	13	515	64	579	524	791	90.5
Eastern Female High School	1	10	279	102	381	346	480	91.
Western Female High School	1	12	475	85	560	527	714	94.
Male Grammar Schools	19	123	2,468	2,735	5,203	4,563	7,384	87.7
Female Grammar Schools	19	122	2,359	2,948	5,307	4,496	7,415	84.7
English German Schools	5	78	2,934	465	3,399	3,135	4,366	92.2
Male Primary Schools	29	169	1,862	5,764	7,626	6,264	13,218	82.14
Female Primary Schools	30	174	2,001	6,141	8,142	6,619	11,882	82.29
Colored Schools	14	89	71	4,327	4,398	3,372	6,159	76.66
Evening Schools	1	4	.....	110	110	76	110	69.
Colored Evening Schools	4	15	13	715	728	502	728	69.
Saturday Normal Class	1	5	.....	72	72	53	145	74.
Music Teachers	..	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....
Drawing Teachers	..	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....
	125	822	12,977	23,528	36,505	30,477	53,392	83.48

Number promoted to City College and High Schools 719
" " Grammar Schools 3,685
—— 4,404

Number of different pupils in School during year 48,988

BALTIMORE CITY.

No. in different Grades of Schools compared for 1878 *and* 1879.

In Primary Schools 1879	15,768	
" " 1878	15,680	
Increase		88
In Grammar Schools 1879	10,510	
" " 1878	9,983	
Increase		527
In High Schools 1879	1,520	
" " 1878	1,318	
Increase		202
In English-German Schools 1879	3,399	
" " " 1878	3,188	
Increase		211
In Colored Schools 1879	4,398	
" " 1878	3,833	
Increase		565
In Evening Schools 1879	110	
" " 1878	520	
Decrease		410
In Colored Evening Schools 1879	728	
" " " 1878	634	
Increase		94
In Saturday Normal Class 1879	72	
" " " 1878	132	
Decrease		60
Increase in 1879 (Roll)		1,217

BALTIMORE CITY.

The amount appropriated by the City Council for Public Schools of this city for 1879 was $600,000 for the current expenses by the School Board.

The amount expended was $599,997 97

As follows:

White Schools.

For salaries on account	$451,760 95
For rents and ground rents	26,635 45
For books and stationery	28,347 64
For heating apparatus and its repairs	8,783 99
For furniture	5,256 29
For fuel	9,952 66
For repairs and cleaning	3,601 67
For incidentals, printing, &c	6,126 37
Total for white schools	$540,465 02

Colored Schools.

For salaries	$49,186 20	
For repairs and cleaning	571 02	
For books and stationery	2,128 89	
For rents and ground rents	3,321 75	
For heating apparatus	837 98	
For furniture	1,638 35	
For fuel	1,660 36	
For incidentals, Printing, &c	188 40	
Total for colored schools		59,532 95
		$599,997 97
Expended by Inspector of Public Buildings for new school buildings	$22,719 20	
Repairs to old buildings, white schools	20,607 67	
" " " colored schools	570 35	
		43,897 22
Total amn't expended by both the School Board and the Inspector of Buildings		$643,895 19

Receipts.

Amount received for taxes from City Collector	$404,339 37
" from State Treasurer for white schools	121,118 72
" " " " colored schools	18,558 44
" from white pupils for use of books	46,825 31
" from colored pupils for use of books	154 37
" from Jno. F. Plummer, interest on legacy	129 59
	$591,125 80

REPORTS

OF THE

SCHOOL COMMISSIONERS

OF THE

COUNTIES.

ALLEGANY COUNTY.

DR. GEO. B. FUNDENBERG, *Prest.* J. W. S. COCHRANE, *Sec'y, &c.*

Professor M. A. Newll,

DEAR SIR: The condition of our schools for the past year has been satisfactory in many respects, and we are glad to report progress in all directions. In the summer of 1878 and again in the summer of 1879, we had a county Normal school in the city of Cumberland. The expense of the school for the first year was borne by the Board of School Commissioners, but the work accomplished was so gratifying that we found our teachers both willing to attend and to pay tuition, the second year. The result has been to bring about a uniformity in school work that we have never had before. This improvement is especially noticeable in the teaching of the first and second grades. Five new school houses have been built during the year. One of these is a large brick building, located in the city of Cumberland, capable of seating six hundred pupils, and for comfort and convenience is one of the best school houses in Maryland. The contract price was $12,500.00, of which the sum of $6,000.00 was paid prior to September 30, and $4,000.00 in October of the present year, leaving a balance of $2,500.00 still due. The four other houses—three of which are located in the mining region and one at Flintstone—were built to seat 125 pupils each, at an average cost of $960.69. We are sorry to report that the County Commissioners gave the schools $3,000.00 less for the ensuing year than last year, but glad to believe that their action in this respect was not approved by the people.

J. W. S. COCHRANE,

Secretary.

ALLEGANY CO.—SUMMARY OF SCHOOL STATISTICS,

For the year ending September 30, 1879.

	1879.	1878.
Number of School Houses—Frame, 65; Brick, 7; Log, 6....	78	73
Number of Male Teachers (Principals).....	59	50
" Female " "	17	26
" Male " (Assistants).....	4	2
" Female " " .....1....	50	49
Total.....	130	127
Number of Fenced Lots.....	19	17
" Schools having Outbuildings.....	45	39
" " " sufficient Black-boards.....	72	..
" " " good Furniture.....	75	65
" Terms Schools were Open.....	31	3
" different Pupils for the year—White 7,506		
Colored..... 216		
	7,722	....
" Pupils in average attendance.....	4,499	4,355
" Official School visits paid by Examiner.....	170	160

Number of Pupils.

	Fall Term.	Winter Term.	Spring Term.	Summer Term
On Roll.....	6,647	6.883	6,303	....
Av. attendance.....	4,606	4,627	4,264	.....

	1879.	1878.
Number of Pupils in 1st Grade December 1.....	1,876	2,135
" " 2d " " 1.....	1,199	1,114
" " 3d " " 1.....	1,229	1,099
" " 4th " " 1.....	1,217	958
" " 5th " " 1.....	933	783
" " 6th " " 1.....	523	321
" " Above 6th " 1.....	40	13

" " Book-Keeping 40; Algebra 37; Philosophy 11; Geometry 19; Physiology 2; Latin 11.

School Houses Built or Enlarged During the Year.

No. of Schools.	District.	Brick or Frame	Cost.	Length.	Width.	Height.	Square Feet of Black-Board	Out-Buildings. Yes or No.	Fences. Yes or No.	Cost of Furniture.
				Feet.	*Feet.*	*Feet.*	*Sq. Ft.*			
1	4	Brick	$12,500 00	100	61	50	1600	Yes.	Yes.	$1,000 00
4	11	Frame	1,100 79	50	27	15	150	Yes.	.....	100 00
7	11	"	862 00	56	27	15	150	Yes.	.....	100 00
2	8	"	830 00	60	27	15	150	Yes	.....	100 00
1	3	"	1,050 00	60	27	15	200	Yes.	Yes.	100 00

ALLEGANY COUNTY—SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Attendance for the year ending June 30, 1879.*

No. of School.	District.	Name of Teacher.	Fall Term.		Winter Term.		Spring Term.		Summer Term.		No. of different pupils for the year.
			On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	
1	1	P. J. Kennedy	17	12	43	22	33	19	....	....	43
2	1	Margaret L. Eddowes	32	16	32	20	29	16	....	....	37
3	1	Maggie Rowe	....	....	32	19	51	19	....	....	32
4	1	John E Tansey	27	16	28	17	24	13	....	....	28
5	1	P. J Stapleton	33	12	21	14	13	10	....	....	33
1	2	James B. Barth	51	38	63	48	57	41	....	....	79
2	2	Joseph P. Davis	22	16	30	20	28	13	....	....	29
3	2	H. H. Kleim	35	17	41	29	36	22	....	....	46
4	2	Jas. F. Hopkins	22	10	32	23	32	19	....	....	35
	2	George D. Showacre	28	17	37	25	35	22	....	....	37
1	3	Amanda Lancy	45	29	51	38	50	34	....	....	60
2	3	S Ed. Grove	70	44	82	51	68	24	....	....	85
3	3	Laura M. Young	46	34	49	36	46	33	....	....	52
4	3	Kate L. Lugman	28	18	34	24	29	23	....	....	33
5	3	J. Aug. Hendrickson	28	20	32	22	29	20	....	....	32
6	3	John S. Hendrickson	31	23	48	31	41	23	....	...	54
7	3	A H. Griffin	20	14	23	17	20	14	..	...	23
8	3	Mary Foore	....	....	24	14	23	15	....	....	28
9	3	Laura Howser	23	12	27	16	21	13	....	....	29
1	4	A. Reichenbach	290	207	282	203	246	187	....	....	317
1	4	Minnie Fundenberg	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	...	....
1	4	Sally A. White	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
1	4	Julia A. Bruce	...	....	....	....	....	....	....	...	....
1	4	Mary M. Hilleary	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....

ALLEGANY COUNTY—SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Attendance for the year ending June* 30, 1879—Continued.

No. of School.	District.	Name of Teacher.	Fall Term.		Winter Term.		Spring Term		Summer Term.		No. of different pupils for the year.
			On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	
1	4	Hattie Steiner	...	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
1	4	George Keyser	.. .	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
2	4	T. Bridendolph	69	44	63	38	58	32	....	....	86
3	4	W. S. Livengood	49	31	48	37	43	23	....	....	54
4	4	Lizzie M. Leonard	22	14	23	14	21	10	....	....	24
5	4	W. T. May	39	23	54	33	53	32	....	....	57
6	4	Grace N. Bruce	20	14	29	20	23	15	....	....	29
1	5	Thomas N Johnson	251	188	268	223	250	200	....	....	286
1	5	Belle Weiskittle	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
1	5	Edith McCulley	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
1	5	Estella Macbeth	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
*2	5	F. B Beachey	67	46	66	49	54	39	....	...	75
3	5	J. Cal. Lowery	24	15	21	11	12	10	....	....	31
4	5	J. E. J. Buckey	157	135	127	91	120	84	....	....	166
4	5	Amelia Conradi	....	....	....	....	...	...	....	....	....
1	6	James M. Byrne	104	72	123	92	125	89	....	....	133
1	6	Fannie S. Bevans	....	....	...	....	....	....	...	....	....
2	6	John M. Cresap	61	36	63	46	65	41	....	....	73
3	6	John Buchanan	17	12	23	16	17	13	....	....	25
4	6	William A. Deremer	38	26	41	30	41	23	....	....	44
5	6	F. Gandor	22	15	23	15	22	13	....	....	23
6	6	Ella X. Mulligan	25	17	25	20	27	22	....	....	30
*7	6	James G. Wildman	63	44	58	36	44	27	....	...	69

* Colored Schools.

1	7	Charles W. Cooper	32	20	38	19	31	14	....	....	37
2	7	John S. Kelley	27	17	29	22	27	17	..	....	31
3	7	Bettie Young	30	23	37	24	31	22	....	....	40
4	7	Salem Moore	28	12	31	16	22	12	....	....	35
1	8	O. H. Bruce	234	168	228	160	192	153	....	....	260
1	8	Bridget A. Noon	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
1	8	Eva McDonald	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
1	8	Kate Kildow	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
2	8	D. L. Phillippi	114	88	107	81	105	85	....	....	118
2	8	Minnie McKane	....	....	....	....	....	....	...	....	....
3	8	Thomas Rusk	27	14	26	16	27	14	....	....	32
4	8	Silas Weimer	32	21	42	21	38	23	....	...	45
1	9	Edward Stevenson	347	264	313	207	248	181	....	....	373
1	9	Ellen D. Harn	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
1	9	Lida Duckworth	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
1	9	Lilly Langabaugh	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
1	9	Lida Stewart	....	....	....	...	....	....	....	....	....
2	9	Edward Creegan	60	37	63	36	59	30	....	....	63
1	10	Hiram G. Bell	490	342	453	309	399	272	....	....	549
1	10	Jessie G. Macbeth	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
1	10	Maggie R Sloan	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
1	10	Minnie Bell	...	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
1	10	Mary McMichael	....	....	....	...	....	...	....	....	...
1	10	Maggie E. Skilling	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
1	10	Kate Arnold	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
2	10	May M. Casteel	80	53	59	44	52	36	....	....	82
3	10	Magnus Reid	149	109	141	99	137	92	...	....	67
3	10	Annie Collins	....	....	....	....	....	....	.. .	....	....
4	10	James Mackay	203	153	206	135	204	130	....	. ..	213
4	10	Ella J. Sullivan	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
4	10	Mary S. White	....	....	....	...	....	....	....	....	....
5	10	A. D. Marks	90	68	84	60	73	58	....	....	90
6	10	W. F. Twigg	80	59	77	50	65	50	...	....	86
1	11	L. H Gehman	590	388	552	331	516	356	....	....	651
1	11	C. A. Snyder	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
1	11	Lizzie M. Hoblitzell	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....

ALLEGANY COUNTY—SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Attendance for the year ending June* 30, 1879—Continued.

No. of School.	District.	Name of Teacher.	Fall Term.		Winter Term.		Spring Term.		Summer Term.		No. of different pupils for the year
			On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	
1	11	A. E. Browne	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
1	11	W. McCulloh	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
1	11	Helen Berkebile	....	....	....	....	....	...	....	....	....
1	11	Rose E. Bevans	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
1	11	Edith M. Dilley	...	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
1	11	Jennie Miller	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
1	11	Helen Dennison	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
1	11	Ida Keller	....	....	....	....	..	....	....	...	....
2	11	Thomas G. Mason	66	46	70	49	65	36	....	....	84
*3	11	E. H. Butler	49	35	53	40	39	30	....	....	57
4	11	Isabel M. Stapler	90	55	115	70	99	61	....	....	112
5	11	Lena Uhland	80	53	76	52	68	48	....	....	91
6	11	John A. Smith	62	53	66	53	58	48	....	...	71
7	11	George M. Perdew	80	67	98	46	95	70	....	....	104
7	11	Mollie E. Casteel	....	....	....	....	...	....	...	....	....
1	12	Alexander W. DeWitt	184	134	193	116	182	114	....	....	207
1	12	Mary A. C. Bevans	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
1	12	H. E. K. Palmer	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	...	....
2	12	John W. Hunt	79	50	90	60	86	51	....	....	81
3	12	Jas. G. Smith	64	32	68	44	71	46	....	....	116
4	12	John Fatkin	115	82	124	83	116	79	....	...	137
4	12	Patrick Rourke	..	....	....	....	....	....	....	...	....
5	12	James MacDermid	29	15	32	14	31	12	....	....	34
1	13	Thomas Hill	245	130	280	151	245	152	....	....	295

1	13	Alice McMichael	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
1	13	Mary F. Campbell	....	....	...	....	....	....	....	....	....
1	13	Sally Campbell	....	....	....	....	....	...	....	....	....
2	13	Bridget E. Barrett	66	46	75	53	80	54	....	....	80
3	13	Mrs P. Byrne	42	21	41	23	29	16	....	....	46
1	14	John F. Neff	52	35	51	41	47	34	....	....	56
2	14	David E. Park	230	154	242	176	226	165	...	....	288
2	14	Mrs. E. M. Clark	...	...	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
2	14	Mary L. Senff	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	...
2	14	Lulu P. Dunn	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
3	14	M. C. Hendrickson	21	15	26	22	25	20	....	....	26
4	14	Clinton Brotemarkle	39	22	50	37	43	24	....	....	48
5	14	F. R. Schwedes	80	74	80	65	86	70	.. .	....	91
6	14	Lilly Burton	28	23	32	24	31	24	....	....	32
1	15	Denis O'Sullivan	300	210	291	181	278	177	....	....	353
1	15	Belle Bevans	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	...
1	15	Kate M Grannan	....	....	....	....	....	....	...	....	....
1	15	Lizzie McLaughlin	....	...	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
2	15	Hugh McMillan	130	114	133	105	138	104	....	....	146
2	15	Janet Maxwell	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
3	15	Edward Bleckynden	27	17	30	18	21	16	...	....	31
*6	1	Nathan Mahaney	....	....	15	11	....	....	...	....	15
7	1	R. L. Hill	....	....	...	....	32	17	....	....	32
			6,647	4,606	6,883	4,627	6,303	4,264	....	....	7,722

* Colored Schools.

ALLEGANY COUNTY—SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Expenses for year ending June* 30, 1879.

No. of School.	District.	Rent.	Fuel.	Repairs.	Other Incidental Expenses.	Teachers' Salaries for the year.	Total Expenses.	Receipts from Books.
1	1	$....	$....	$4 00	$3 55	$150 35	$157 90	$ 9 05
2	1	....	7 50	1 75	4 60	176 90	190 75	11 40
3	1	....	6 00	....	....	136 35	142 35	12 42
4	1	....	5 00	....	3 94	174 35	183 29	17 91
5	1	....	9 50	2 85	1 72	160 35	174 42	17 00
1	2	....	7 59	75 25	....	357 78	440 62	35 88
2	2	6 00	6 00	....	50	176 92	189 42	10 30
3	2	....	7 65	....	1 25	253 54	262 44	18 64
4	2	....	3 00	....	....	170 81	173 81	19 99
5	2	....	10 00	...	1 10	255 00	266 10	16 43
1	3	....	10 38	32 00	6 00	316 00	364 38	34 07
2	3	....	12 74	....	5 50	298 18	316 42	38 60
3	3	....	18 87	....	2 95	270 00	291 82	21 22
4	3	...	8 86	....	6 25	235 00	250 11	12 29
5	3	....	9 20	....	1 16	255 00	265 36	11 76
6	3	....	5 32	50	6 75	255 02	267 59	22 95
7	3	....	3 00	....	2 00	179 99	184 99	10 15
8	3	....	...	....	2 15	118 90	121 05	5 85
9	3	....	2 50	4 00	2 35	184 55	193 40	12 34
1	4	45 00	93 74	20	9 70	750 00	898 64	188 51
1	4	....	....	....	....	420 00	420 00	.....
1	4	....	....	....	....	330 00	330 00	.....
1	4	....	....	....	....	298 18	298 18	.....
1	4	....	....	....	....	278 31	278 31	.....
1	4	....	....	....	....	284 13	284 13	.....
1	4	....	....	....	....	195 54	195 54	23 85
2	4	...	1 25	....	1 25	300 00	302 50	11 93
3	4	....	5 25	1 00	6 60	236 11	248 96	23 65
4	4	....	7 55	...	2 60	192 72	202 87	10 77
5	4	....	3 00	37 82	5 35	255 00	301 17	27 85
6	4	....	8 76	....	3 30	185 81	197 87	5 82
1	5	40 00	....	....	4 00	525 00	569 00	94 98
1	5	....	....	...	....	285 00	285 00	.....
1	5	....	....	....	....	237 81	237 81	.....
1	5	....	....	....	....	240 00	240 00	.....
*2	5	....	2 75	....	3 40	298 18	304 33	34 75
3	5	....	8 55	50	1 30	204 54	214 89	5 97
4	5	36 00	10 00	1 59	....	389 07	436 66	69 67
4	5	....	....	....	....	204 90	204 90	.....
1	6	....	10 00	....	1 63	373 86	385 49	51 24
1	6	....	....	....	....	214 76	214 76	.....
2	6	....	12 00	26 50	3 77	298 18	340 45	35 91
3	6	...	3 75	6 25	2 25	136 36	148 61	8 47
4	6	...	5 00	5 00	2 40	240 00	252 40	26 09
5	6	18 75	5 62	2 90	5 50	210 00	242 77	12 21
6	6	15 00	3 10	....	1 77	204 89	224 76	9 81
*7	6	15 00	...	....	....	290 90	305 90	33 58

* Colored Schools.

ALLEGANY COUNTY—SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Expenses for year ending June* 30, 1879—Continued.

No. of School.	District.	Rent.	Fuel.	Repairs.	Other Incidental Expenses.	Teachers' Salaries for the year.	Total Expenses.	Receipts from Books.
1	7	$....	$6 50	$1 00	$ ...	$240 00	$247 50	$9 64
2	7	....	7 00	1 35	2 35	223 63	234 33	22 04
3	7	....	7 67	...	1 00	250 35	259 02	18 16
4	7	....	....	....	....	147 63	147 63	7 64
1	8	...	19 75	15 30	8 95	444 54	488 54	158 49
1	8	....	....	....	....	360 00	360 00	.....
1	8	....	....	....	....	296 36	296 36	.....
1	8	....	....	....	....	152 80	152 80	.....
2	8	28 00	16 00	....	10 19	390 00	444 19	32 25
2	8	....	...	....	....	240 00	240 00	.....
3	8	...	2 00	23 80	5 00	205 54	236 34	4 55
4	8	....	12 00	2 52	....	255 00	269 52	13 05
1	9	...	22 00	15 51	14 32	439 09	490 92	83 32
1	9	....	....	....	....	390 00	390 00	.....
1	9	....	....	....	....	255 00	255 00	.....
1	9	....	....	.....	...	251 90	251 90	.....
1	9	....	....	....	....	184 53	184 53	.....
2	9	....	...	....	....	206 18	206 18	11 44
1	10	....	28 45	111 45	34 20	520 21	694 31	281 86
1	10	....	....	....	....	417 45	417 45	.....
1	10	....	....	....	...	354 53	354 53	.....
1	10	....	....	....	....	223 63	223 63	.....
1	10	....	....	....	....	220 90	220 90	.....
1	10	....	....	....	....	298 18	298 18	.....
1	10	....	....	....	. ..	223 63	223 63	.....
2	10	35 00	....	....	1 55	316 00	352 55	.....
3	10	60 00	....	5 35	1 05	356 72	423 12	30 25
3	10	....	....	....	....	209 36	209 36	.....
4	10	....	11 55	48 20	....	352 27	412 02	18 35
4	10	....	....	....	....	281 81	281 81	.....
4	10	....	...	....	....	200 72	200 72	.....
5	10	....	6 00	1 80	3 20	360 00	371 00	28 45
6	10	....	5 90	75	1 85	300 00	308 50	29 75
1	11	42 00	94 60	86 35	44 09	570 00	837 04	286 98
1	11	....	....	....	....	366 36	366 36	.....
1	11	....	....	....	....	300 00	300 00	.....
1	11	....	....	....	....	360 00	360 00	....
1	11	....	....	....	....	294 54	294 54	...
1	11	....	....	....	....	270 00	270 00	.....
1	11	....	....	....	....	299 09	299 09	.....
1	11	....	....	....	....	121 53	121 53	.....
1	11	....	....	....	...	149 45	149 45	.....
1	11	....	....	....	....	158 15	158 15	.....
1	11	....	....	....	...	12 72	12 72	. ....
2	11	....	....	90	25	357 81	358 96	23 10
*3	11	....	7 00	....	5 46	237 09	249 55	21 81
4	11	....	4 75	6 50	4 15	287 26	302 66	20 78
5	11	....	8 35	64 75	2 65	307 00	382 75	20 25

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ALLEGANY COUNTY—SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Expenses for year ending June* 30, 1879—Continued.

No. of School.	District.	Rent.	Fuel.	Repairs.	Other Incidental Expenses.	Teachers' Salaries for the year.	Total Expenses.	Receipts from Books.
6	11	$....	$3 25	$ 80	$ 25	$343 95	$348 25	$33 88
7	11	....	....	....	17 70	313 22	330 92	11 08
7	11	....	....	....	....	152 72	152 72	.....
1	12	....	7 27	22 08	12 90	385 26	427 51	40 10
1	12	....	....	....	....	300 00	300 00	.....
1	12	...	....	....	....	300 00	300 00	.....
2	12	....	4 80	2 25	5 00	329 00	341 05	32 37
3	12	....	3 64	3 33	1 08	275 45	283 50	26 16
4	12	....	5 00	....	....	387 63	392 63	50 44
4	12	....	....	....	...	163 63	163 63	....
5	12	....	5 75	....	3 25	209 36	218 36	9 96
1	13	....	27 00	42 96	20 45	441 81	532 22	100 59
1	13	....	....	....	....	353 43	353 43	.....
1	13	....	....	....	....	198 53	198 53	.....
1	13	....	....	....	....	134 77	134 77	.....
2	13	....	7 25	22 10	3 65	316 00	349 00	36 07
3	13	37 50	9 00	....	....	237 09	283 59	17 66
1	14	....	7 50	....	40	390 00	397 90	30 42
2	14	175 00	40 00	....	11 30	417 45	643 75	137 08
2	14	....	....	...	....	330 00	330 00	.....
2	14	....	....	....	....	255 00	255 00	.....
2	14	....	....	....	....	211 36	211 36	.....
3	14	....	9 20	2 00	3 75	146 90	161 85	11 17
4	14	...	3 00	....	80	225 00	228 80	30 75
5	14	....	8 25	...	6 40	360 00	374 65	27 07
6	14	....	7 50	...	1 00	247 27	255 77	19 49
1	15	35 00	16 00	....	10 50	465 00	526 50	94 66
1	15	....	....	....	....	330 00	330 00	.....
1	15	....	....	....	....	224 31	224 31	.....
1	15	....	....	....	...	209 36	209 36	.....
2	15	....	1 06	1 35	4 75	363 62	370 78	71 10
2	15	....	....	....	....	210 00	210 00	.....
3	15	20 00	5 00	9 00	....	222 00	256 00	.....
*6	1	....	....	....	....	47 00	47 00	1 80
7	1	....	....	....	....	30 00	30 00	5 35
		$608 25	$743 42	$693 51	$350 03	$35,389 32	$37,784 53	$2,922

* Colored School.

ALLEGANY COUNTY.—*Statement of Receipts and Disbursements for Public School Purposes, for the Year ending September* 30, 1879.

RECEIPTS.

Balance on hand September 30, 1878	$ 176 37
State School Tax	14,222 86
State Free School Fund	1,882 94
State Donations	400 00
" " preceding year	400 00
County School Tax at .. cents on the $100	35,000 00
Sales of Books	2,922 47
State Appropriation to Colored Schools	604 08
Received of Aetna Insurance Company	939 33
" former Treasurer	397 61
" B. M. Co	3 64
" from other sources	3 34
Normal School fees	315 00
Second National Bank Loan	1,000 00
Ledger error received	3 95
	$58,281 59

DISBURSEMENTS.

Balance due to Treasurer September 30, 1878	$ 370 00	
Teachers' Salaries	35,388 42	
Fuel	743 96	
Incidental Expenses of Schools	350 03	
Rent	608 25	
Books and Stationery	3,454 32	
Building School Houses	9,460 05	
Repairing " "	693 51	
Furniture, Black Boards and Stoves	1,467 85	
Interest	253 83	
Salary of Secretary, Treasurer and Examiner	1,500 00	
Per Diem of School Commissioners	300 00	
Balance due " preceding year	37 08	
Office Expenses and Account Books, including rent of office	313 01	
Printing and Advertising	186 00	
Paid to Colored Schools, included above $906.78.		
Insurance	243 20	
Expenses of County Normal School	424 18	
Obligations paid	2,000 00	
Recording Deeds, Sheriff and Attorney Fees, including those of Attorney in the investigation before State Board	247 48	
Balance Cash on hand	240 42	
		$58,281 59

ANNE ARUNDEL COUNTY.

RICHARD H. GREEN, *President.* WILLIAM HARWOOD, *Secretary.*

Prof. M. A. Newell,
Secretary, State Board of Education,

SIR: The Annual Report of the Board of County School Commissioners of Anne Arundel County is herewith submitted.

But for our financial embarrassments, we might say our schools are generally in a prosperous condition. The school-houses built or repaired, the numbers of school-houses, of teachers and pupils, and other statistical details are exhibited in the tables accompanying this report. It will be seen by these that there are now in Anne Arundel County, with the addition of one just established, twenty-five schools, with thirty teachers for the children of the colored population, in which two thousand and eighty-three children are carefully instructed under the supervision of the Commissioners and the Examiner. The teachers in these colored schools are promptly paid at the end of each term, as the funds for their support are regularly received from the State Treasury.

This is not the case with the white schools. The funds for their support, consisting in part of levies made by the County Commissioners, have been for many years very irregularly collected, or very irregularly paid over. In consequence of this, and of the withholding of a portion of the State levy, the County School Board, at an early period after the establishment of our system of public schools, became heavily embarrassed by the failure to receive sufficient funds for the payment of the teachers' salaries, and the other expenses of the schools. In this painful dilemma the County School Board endeavoring to relieve itself on the easiest terms of a present difficulty, instead of promptly taking measures to compel payment of the various

levies appropriated by law for the support of the public schools, resorted to the expedient of borrowing money and in various ways anticipating the revenues thereafter to be received by orders on the collectors or certificates of debt, which paper, passing from hand to hand, has been continually shared by various parties, all striving to pay the taxes with paper purchased at a large discount, and delaying payment of the taxes in the expectation of an opportunity to profit by the purchase of this depreciated paper. By such expedients the School Board obtained present relief for themselves, but left a heavy debt to be paid by those who should come after them. This debt is now to be paid. Having no other means to discharge this debt, we are compelled to contract expenses by reducing the salaries of our teachers, and limiting the session of our schools to a shorter period than the four terms prescribed by law, until this debt is paid; unless relief can be obtained by the assistance of the next Legislature or of the County Commissioners.

It may be proper here to repeat that the payments of salary shown to have been made to our teachers are only in a small part on account of the year just ended. Beginning every year with a heavy debt the payment of the salaries for each year is continually delayed until the prior obligations are discharged. The payments are principally for the year preceding. The amount of the County School Tax stated in the aggregate of $15,772.73 paid, consists of $9,372.31 paid of the levy of 1878, on which $9,305.17 is still due, and $6,400.42 paid of balances due on prior levies, commencing with 1873 and running down to the present time.

The amount of the levy of 1879 is given, on which nothing is yet paid.

There is now due to our teachers, on account of salaries for the year ending 30th September, 1879, the sum of twenty thousand six hundred and fifty dollars and ninety cents, ($20,650.90,) and due for incidental expenses five hundred and seventy-five dollars and sixty-eight cents, ($575.68.)

WILLIAM HARWOOD,
Secretary, &c.

ANNE ARUNDEL CO.—SUMMARY OF SCHOOL STATISTICS

For Year Ending September 30, 1879.

	1879.	1878.
Number of School Houses	72	70
" " Male Teachers; (Principals)	43	43
" " Female " "	41	33
" " Male " (Assistants)	2	1
" " Female " "	11	9
Total	97	86
Number of Fenced Lots	16	14
" " Schools having Out-buildings	32	28
" " " " good Furniture	50	48
" " Terms Schools were open	4	4
" " different Pupils for the year	4,444	4,082
" " Pupils in average attendance	1,848	1,704
" " Official School Visits paid by Examiner	78	64

Number of Pupils.

	Fall Term.	Winter Term.	Spring Term.	Summer Term.
On Roll	2,998.	3,597.	3,743	3,189.
Average attendance	1,756.	1,792.	2,149.	1,697.

	1879.	1878.
Number of Pupils in 1st Grade December 1	1,199	1,162
" " " 2d " " 1	637	722
" " " 3d " " 1	663	625
" " " 4th " " 1	526	504
" " " 5th " " 1	314	380
" " " 6th " " 1	248	191
" " " above 6th " 1	18	30

" " " Book-keeping, 4; Algebra, 12; Philosophy, 48; Geometry, 3; Physiology, 7.

School Houses Built or Enlarged during the Year.

District.	Brick or Frame.	Cost.	Color.
1	Frame	$199 88	White.
2	Frame	316 61	Colored.
3	Frame	288 08	Colored.
3	Frame	206 10	White, Marley.
3	Frame	326 37	Colored, Marley.
4	Frame	332 93	Colored.

ANNE ARUNDEL COUNTY—SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Attendance for year ending September* 30, 1879.

No. of School.	District.	Name of Teacher.	Fall Term.		Winter Term.		Spring Term.		Summer Term.		No. of different pupils for the year.
			On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	
1	1	Miss C. R Sanks	29	19	32	16	36	17	30	20	37
2	1	Miss M. P. Chew	24	16	21	15	23	14	28	20	31
3	1	Miss B. C. McCeney	19	10	24	10	25	11	25	15	36
4	1	Miss E. Garrott	21	14	22	11	21	13	24	17	30
5	1	R. S. Worthington	16	7	....	....	16	8	20	11	20
6	1	Julia Watkins	26	14	17	9	16	11	13	9	28
7	1	Frank Owens	21	8	29	11	36	19	30	14	40
8	1	Alice Hopkins	....	....	20	13	22	16	22	18	24
9	1	E. C. Ditty	31	20	32	15	23	17	22	15	32
10	1	Emma Perveil	15	9	18	7	19	12	21	13	23
1	2	G. W. Duvall	21	12	25	10	26	14	24	17	29
2	2	R. D. Sellman	38	11	33	3	20	5	20	6	38
3	2	Wm F. Sevier	16	10	14	8	16	9	15	9	18
4	2	Nancy Iglehart	10	5	10	3	11	5	10	6	10
5	2	L. M. Linthicum	26	14	20	9	17	10	14	7	26
6	2	J. J. Whittington	9	9	18	9	20	10	16	8	22
7	2	R. F. Dodson	20	10	18	6	21	9	17	13	32
8	2	Maggie Clark	21	11	20	10	16	11	15	10	62
1	3	L. R. Jacobs	21	12	28	14	30	18	24	9	32
2	3	V. Pumphrey	11	6	15	8	16	7	12	4	20
3	3	Cora Woolford	17	11	26	13	37	24	32	15	32
4	3	Levin Mitchell	18	7	20	13	22	16	20	12	25
5	3	V. Nicholls	22	20	25	14	24	13	17	7	26
6	3	M. S. Dunlap	17	13	15	11	20	12	19	9	23

7	3	Miss R. Williams	20	6	24	8	27	11	17	5	33
8	3	S. G. Thompson	33	18	32	10	32	14	29	12	44
9	3	Weems Ridout	12	2	7	3	11	4	10	4	40
10	3	Arthur Brown	17	10	16	9	17	10	15	6	18
11	3	Wm. H. Bourk	15	10	10	6	10	6	8	7	17
1	4	Jas. L. Whiteside	48	27	62	32	56	28	48	18	75
2	4	Miss K. S. Laynor	....	....	30	15	36	22	40	23	55
3	4	Edward Waters	20	8	24	12	....	....	....	....	....
3	4	O. F. Waters	...	....	....	....	24	10	11	4	28
4	4	Miss I. M. Kennady	42	24	49	25	37	20	30	14	49
5	4	A. N. Hambleton	35	16	51	24	45	24	19	6	60
6	4	B. S. Nicholls	51	32	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
6	4	Mrs. Small	....	....	77	44	84	48	....	....	....
7	4	Miss S. M. Smith	32	16	34	13	35	19	26	15	41
8	4	J. E. E. Dodson	34	13	41	20	38	22	24	9	46
9	4	Wm. F. Anderson	....	....	27	17	30	21	30	19	40
1	5	A. C Rodgers	23	17	26	19	26	20	24	14	30
2	5	Miss E. N. Whittington	37	20	38	20	38	18	22	6	47
3	5	W B. Crisp	28	17	38	25	39	23	26	15	42
4	5	Miss S R. Merritt	19	11	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
4	5	Wm. H. Downs	....	...	25	18	....	....	....	....	....
4	5	Edward Waters	....	....	....	....	34	20	23	9	44
5	5	Geo. A Baker	56	41	....	....	...	....	....	....	....
5	5	Henry Cragg	67	47	77	53	74	52	62	31	85
5	5	Miss L. Hawkins	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
5	5	Miss W. Kervick	....	....	....	....	....	....	...	....	....
1	6	H. S. Rennolds	107	71	107	60	106	62	103	58	107
1	6	Miss L. Pindell	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
2	6	M E Redmond	164	128	160	125	178	137	175	134	180
2	6	Miss F. Tolson	....	....	...	....	....	....	....	....	....
2	6	Miss R S. Pindell	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
2	6	Miss R. G Camden	....	....	....	....	...	....	....	....	....
3	6	G. A. Lang	117	109	120	84	125	115	122	99	140
3	6	J. G. Ray	....	...	....	....	...	....	....	....	....
3	6	A. W. Wright	....	....	....	....	....	...	....	....	....
1	8	Miss A S. O'Hara	38	18	39	15	39	19	40	24	53

ANNE ARUNDEL COUNTY—SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Attendance for the year ending June* 30, 1879—Continued.

No. of School.	District.	Name of Teacher.	Fall Term.		Winter Term.		Spring Term.		Summer Term.		No. of different pupils for the year.
			On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	
2	8	M. W. Hyde	46	20	58	13	66	26	68	30	80
3	8	Miss V. E. Starlings	24	11	27	6	21	7	23	11	33
4	8	Mrs R. Garner	19	10	19	11	....	....	....	....	....
4	8	R. Garner	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
5	8	J. W. Wood	86	51	85	54	87	59	87	55	110
5	8	Mrs. M. Penbroke	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
5	8	Miss F Briscoe	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
6	8	E. D. Murdaugh	13	9	12	12	14	11	14	13	14
7	8	R. Garner	17	11	28	11	29	21	21	15	38
7	8	Miss M. J. Jackson	....	....	....	....	19	15	22	13	25
8	8	Miss G. Owens	30	22	26	14	33	20	38	24	44
9	8	Miss M G Owens	21	12	23	12	18	11	17	11	24
10	8	Horace Tell	16	6	17	9	17	7	19	8	23

ANNE ARUNDEL COUNTY—SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Expenses for Year ending September* 30, 1879.

No. of School.	District.	Rent.	Fuel.	Repairs.	Other Incidental Expenses.	Furniture, Black Boards, Stoves.	Cost of Books.	Teachers' Salaries for the Year.
1	1	....	$....	$....	$31 49	$.....	$ 14 40	$ 428 55
2	1	....	....	....	18 60	.....	11 00	409 08
3	1	....	....	41 50	....	.....	11 20	209 40
4	1	....	17 10	1 80	2 52	11 75	13 85	128 35
5	1	....	25 10	3 75	25	2 65	5 40	439 74
6	1	....	16 60	3 50	....	.....	7 40	336 39
7	1	....	1 00	35	20	17 00	10 30	166 64
8	1	....	10 10	....	40	81 45	.....	110 00
9	1	....	18 30	88	25	7 00	5 55	211 94
10	1	....	....	....	....	.....	.....	281 04
1	2	....	27 00	78 28	6 15	.....	19 55	251 71
2	2	....	11 00	48 50	....	.....	9 95	454 32
3	2	....	6 00	....	4 30	.....	9 30	367 08
4	2	....	12 00	....	2 65	.....	.....	536 80
5	2	....	9 00	....	1 45	.....	21 05	439 10
6	2	....	13 25	....	40	.....	24 14	378 55
7	2	....	14 50	....	35	.....	6 05	313 20
8	2	....	1 05	40	75	.....	11 06	568 63
1	3	....	....	....	1 21	.....	1 60	234 54
2	3	....	16 50	....	48	15 00	1 05	353 87
3	3	....	....	....	....	.....	3 30	399 67
4	3	....	12 50	35	3 24	11 90	1 75	271 05
5	3	....	1 38	....	28	.....	.....	38 34
6	3	....	9 00	....	3 20	.....	15 07	110 61
7	3	....	14 50	....	96 70	.....	5 10	243 50
8	3	....	17 33	....	9 00	.....	14 35	145 28
9	3	....	....	1 25	48	.....	2 70	349 52
10	3	....	9 50	....	50	.....	.....	95 33
11	3	....	11 50	14 90	6 75	.....	11 35	334 75
1	4	....	10 50	....	2 90	.....	21 20	214 50
2	4	120 00	13 35	....	1 00	.....	1 80	180 90
3	4	....	....	....	....	.....	7 00	344 27
4	4	....	....	....	10 20	.....	24 63	301 77
5	4	....	16 50	....	80	72 85	12 60	289 51
6	4	....	....	....	....	.....	.....	244 81
6	4	....	8 75	1 05	3 15	8 50	.....	100 00
7	4	....	9 25	....	85	.....	1 95	335 11
8	4	....	6 00	2 50	20 50	4 50	.....	268 41
9	4	....	15 00	....	6 65	133 70	27 25	105 65
1	5	....	10 00	....	4 61	79 80	4 70	09
2	5	....	....	....	....	.....	19 36	222 88
3	5	....	....	....	....	.....	.....	110 00
4	5	....	....	....	....	.....	....	106 50
5	5	....	....	....	....	.....	.....	68 75
5	5	....	....	26 00	....	.....	.....	153 85
5	5	....	....	....	....	.....	.....	60 00
5	5	....	....	....	....	.....	.....	75 00
1	6	....	25 26	17 95	39 95	6 10	94 87	647 74
1	6	....	....	....	....	.....	.....	475 00

ANNE ARUNDEL COUNTY—SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Expenses for Year ending September* 30, 1879—Continued.

No. of Schools.	District.	Rent.	Fuel.	Repairs.	Other Incidental Expenses.	Furniture, Black Boards, Stoves.	Cost of Books.	Teachers' Salaries for the Year.
2	6	$66 65	$79 15	$273 23	$204 66	$298 75	$101 05	$ 612 93
2	6	....	....	....	....	.....	.....	400 00
2	6	....	....	....	....	.....	.....	500 00
2	6	....	....	....	....	.....	.....	50 00
3	6	200 00	17 38	13 30	40 00	6 40	41 75	775 81
3	6	....	....	....	....	.....	.....	450 00
3	6	....	....	....	....	.....	.....	284 25
1	8	....	6 00	....	....	.....	.....	100 00
2	8	....	7 00	....	3 58	.....	.....	516 06
3	8	....	7 50	....	34	.....	2 20	501 66
4	8	....	7 00	....	....	.....	10 00	530 35
4	8	....	....	4 25	....	.....	.....	.....
5	8	....	6 25	....	10	.....	23 45	198 60
5	8	.. .	....	....	....	.....	.....	150 00
5	8	....	....	....	....	.....	.....	112 50
6	8	....	13 50	....	....	6 05	.....	321 75
7	8	....	7 00	5 00	15	.....	.....	249 90
7	8	....	....	3 85	8 40	.....	1 70	25 31
8	8	....	1 38	59	1 00	.....	.....	406 05
9	8	....	9 50	....	1 45	25	.....	429 69
10	8	....	....	....	....	.....	1 25	323 75
*		....	24 75	....	30 10	.....	.....	2,067 52
		$386 65	$575 23	$543 18	$571 99	$763 65	$633 23	$21,917 85

*Paid for teachers of years previous.

ANNE ARUNDEL COUNTY—SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Balances Paid Teachers in Years Previous.*

No. of School.	District.	Name of Teacher.	Fuel.	Other Incidental Expenses.	Teachers' Salaries for the Year.	Total Expenses.
4	1	Miss S. G. Collinson.....	$	$	$ 337 05	$ 337 05
5	3	Wm. H Davies.....	....	....	151 61	151 61
10	3	Miss A. Whitehurst.....	....	....	242 67	242 67
4	4	arion Duckett.....	....	....	161 33	161 33
2	6	Miss C. M. Bishop.....	11 25	30 10	532 07	573 42
3	6	G E. Lang, Assistant.....	....	....	200 00	200 00
1	8	Estep Paddy.....	13 50	...	410 02	423 52
6	8	Carter Page.....	....	....	32 77	32 77
			$24 75	$30 10	$2,067 52	$2,122 37

ANNE ARUNDEL COUNTY—COLORED SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Attendance for the year ending June* 30, 1879.

No. of School.	District.	Name of Teacher.	Fall Term.		Winter Term.		Spring Term.		Summer Term.		No. of different pupils for the Year.
			On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	
1	1	J. B. Swann	100	65	118	59	120	80	107	60	133
1	1	Miss E S Evans, Asst	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
2	1	Miss M. E. Walkins	54	20	72	19	78	24	70	21	85
3	1	Miss O. Turner	53	28	87	48	88	65	77	54	174
4	1	Miss C Andrews	66	42	78	30	84	49	90	40	100
1	2	C. Johnson	30	12	40	14	40	16	32	10	41
2	2	J. W. Hall	32	18	41	16	39	18	54	22	69
3	2	Mrs. A. M. Hunt	19	9	20	6	15	9	22	11	25
4	2	Thos. H Brooks	57	18	105	22	106	35	56	16	129
5	2	Jas. W. Robinson	74	26	82	29	82	42	51	17	105
1	3	A. M. Thomas	20	9	39	17	42	24	31	8	50
2	3	A. R. Hall	....	....	....	....	33	22	30	8	....
4	3	Leslie Green	23	16	33	16	....	....	....	....	....
4	3	Miss L. V. Holliday	....	....	....	....	30	15	33	16	36
5	3	Miss S. E. Neale	19	10	83	31	88	40	54	14	88
1	4	Nelson Stepney	14	4	32	7	41	11	20	9	44
2	4	Miss S J. Carey	30	22	46	29	50	19	50	17	54
1	5	J. H. Matthews	33	12	86	35	84	47	52	29	96
2	5	Miss A. H. Robinson	61	26	77	44	70	39	42	13	89
3	5	M. Adams	25	19	43	15	43	21	21	4	43
1	6	Jas. E. Hunt	189	131	192	118	208	134	209	119	209
1	6	Miss R. Ward	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
1	6	Miss F. Williams	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
2	6	Sister M. Theophora	165	106	155	96	148	91	141	97	183

ANNE ARUNDEL COUNTY—COLORED SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Attendance for the year ending June* 30, 1879—Continued.

No. of School.	District.	Name of Teacher.	Fall Term.		Winter Term.		Spring Term.		Summer Term.		No. of different pupils for the Year.
			On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	
2	6	Sister M. Sebastian	....	....	...	....	....	....	....	....	....
2	6	Sister Mary	...	....	....	....	....	....	....	...	...
1	8	Miss J. Turner	60	26	88	34	96	46	80	39	88
2	8	Miss E. L. Smith	37	20	63	26	69	35	60	29	69
3	8	Jerc. Jessup	36	17	54	22	58	33	45	22	72
4	8	Aaron B. Wesley	45	19	52	22	53	31	59	26	101
			1,242	675	1,686	755	1,765	946	1,486	701	2,083

ANNE ARUNDEL COUNTY—COLORED SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Expenses for year ending September* 30, 1879.

No. of School.	District.	Rent.	Fuel.	Repairs.	Other Incidental Expenses.	Furniture, Black Boards, Stoves.	Cost of Books.	Teachers' Salaries for the year.
1	1	$....	$14 85	$131 00	$4 01	$64 40	$88 40	$300 00
1	1	....	...	....	....	.....	.....	218 40
2	1	25 00	16 00	7 00	11 68	.....	4 10	283 50
3	1	....	17 60	14 09	5 30	.....	37 27	285 00
4	1	...	10 10	11 00	16 86	26 35	29 40	285 00
1	2	40 00	13 37	....	....	.....	5 75	285 00
2	2	....	21 50	....	2 90	71 45	12 08	285 00
3	2	25 00	12 00	....	3 60	.....	20 21	285 00
4	2	....	14 25	....	90	.....	34 56	285 00
5	2	....	16 25	1 69	1 79	1 75	56 77	285 00
1	3	....	10 00	5 00	3 00	.....	44 55	285 00
2	3	....	....	....	....	.....	.....	60 00
4	3	9 00	16 50	....	1 60	19 30	16 70	150 00
4	3	....	....	....	....	.....	6 70	90 00
5	3	....	14 00	....	....	.....	44 65	235 00
1	4	....	8 85	2 00	23	23 35	16 20	255 00
2	4	....	10 00	....	25	118 35	35 96	217 50
1	5	....	22 25	6 25	11 65	34 75	61 87	285 00
2	5	....	7 00	30 65	3 00	.....	63 42	285 00
3	5	25 00	26 25	....	30	.....	20 17	285 00
1	6	....	43 28	42 03	68 16	75 88	176 49	400 00
1	6	....	....	....	....	.....	.....	400 00
1	6	....	....	....	....	.....	.....	350 00
2	6	....	...	....	3 50	40 00	55 45	400 00
2	6	....	....	....	....	.....	.....	400 00
2	6	....	...	....	....	.....	.....	400 00
1	8	....	19 20	50 94	40	6 80	34 34	285 00
2	8	....	9 75	....	...	.....	13 85	279 00
3	8	....	....	....	9 75	14 50	6 40	285 00
4	8	....	6 00	1 70	1 00	.....	.....	285 00
		$124 00	$329 00	$283 35	$149 88	$496 88	$885 29	$8,428 40

COLORED SCHOOLS—*Receipts and Disbursements for the Year ending September* 30, 1879.

Receipts.		Disbursements.	
Unexpended Balanee of previous Appropriation.....	$2,760 38	Paid for Teachers' Salaries.	$8,428 40
Amount received from State Treasurer..... ...	6,812 00	Incidental Expenses	423 23
Donation for Stanton School Library.....	10 00	Rent.....	124 00
Balance.....	2,859 79	Fuel.....	329 00
		Books and Stationery.... .	886 29
		Furniture.....	496 88
		Proportion of General Expenses.....	490 38
		Buildings...	1,263 99
	$12,442 17		$12,442 17

ANNE ARUNDEL COUNTY.—*Statement of Receipts and disbursements for Public School Purposes, for the Year ending September* 30, 1879.

RECEIPTS.

Balance on hand, September 30, 1878		$ 3,260 81
State School Tax		11,220 15
State Free School Fund		1,964 17
State Donations		1,388 20
County School Tax at 19 cents on the $100		15,772 73
Amount of Levy	$18,464 26	
Private Donations		10 00
Sale of Books		534 41
State Appropriation to Colored Schools		6,812 00
Lot Sold in Annapolia		1,828 57
Due Treasurer		1,311 76
		$44,102 80

DISBURSEMENTS.

Teachers' Salaries	$ 21,917 85	
Fuel	575 23	
Incidental Expenses of Schools	564 43	
Rent	386 65	
Books and Stationery	1,855 30	
Building School Houses	405 98	
Repairing " "	542 66	
Furniture, Black Boards and Stoves	663 65	
High Schools or Academies	800 00	
Salary of Secretary, Treasurer and Examiner	1,200 00	
Per Diem of School Commissioners	300 00	
Office Expenses and Account Books	133 33	
Printing and Advertising	255 20	
Paid to Colored Schools	12,442 17	
Property Purchased	1,590 01	
Insurance	116 21	
Counsel's Fees, &c.	154 99	
Traveling Expenses of Examiner and Commissioners	171 44	
Freight, Drayage and Expressage	27 70	
		$44,102 80

BALTIMORE COUNTY.

WILLIAM M. ISAAC, *President.* THOMAS C. BRUFF, *Secretary, &c.*

PROF. M. A. NEWELL: In submitting the annual report for the year 1879 there is little of interest to add to the complete details found in the different tables it contains.

Last May the County Commissioners reduced the school levy from fourteen to thirteen cents on the hundred dollars. This reduction, with the great number of new buildings demanded, would have interfered with the operation of the schools had they not conceded a principle for which we have always contended, that the schools are entitled to the full amount levied for them without being subject to abatements from erroneous assessments and interest upon unpaid taxes. Since May last all money due the schools has been paid in this way, and by this simple act of justice the Board of School Commissioners has been able to build a number of substantial houses in localities where they were much needed.

It is not a general custom to explain large balances, but as it has been charged that the schools are receiving more money than they actually need, on account of the balances shown by the annual report at the close of each year, the following explanation is given:

The county levy is made on the first day of May, and under our system the Treasurer collects the taxes. He is authorized to allow a discount of six, five, four, three and two per cent. for the months of May, June, July, August and September, respectively. In order to obtain the

benefit of these liberal discounts, the bulk of the taxes is paid into the treasury between the first of May and the thirtieth of September, the close of our fiscal year. Of the $82,882.01 received from the county this year, $48,750, more than one-half, was paid during this time. There was also received from the State the June distribution of the State School Tax, the Free School Fund and the Academic Fund, aggregating $14,373.25. The scholastic year closes June thirtieth, when the salaries of teachers are paid for the summer term, and the heaviest cost of the system ends. During the two months of vacation (July and August) the expenses are comparatively light, embracing the salaries of the officers, building, repairing and furniture. This accounts for the large amount on hand at the close of the year, without which the schools could not be successfully conducted through the fall, winter and spring terms, as the amount of money received during those terms is not adequate for the purpose; hence, the necessity for a large balance at the close of the fiscal year.

It will be seen by the detailed statement, contracts have been consummated for thirteen new houses, seven of which have been completed. The other six are in process of erection, and will be ready for occupation by the first of January next. School 1, district 2, at Humane, is a brick house, 24 by 36 feet, and replaces a dilapidated weatherboarded house. It will accommodate about seventy pupils. School 3, district 2, at the Granite Quarries, is of stone, 24 by 36 feet, and replaces an old frame house for which there was no title. School 9, district 2, is near Harrisonville. For a number of years school was held in a damp basement rented for the purpose. The house, though expensive, is one of the most complete one-room school buildings in the State, and will stand as a monument to the untiring energy of its originator. School 10, district 2, 24 by 36 feet, built of stone, is on the Liberty road, near the Carroll county line. It replaces an old frame building, originally intended for a corn crib, which was rented four years ago for school purposes. The addi-

tion at Pikesville, school 2, district 3, is of brick, and contains two rooms. The people of this community had repeatedly asked for more comfortable and extended accommodations for their children, a reasonable request, which the board could not grant, until recently, on account of the want of funds. The old house was thoroughly repaired, and, with the two rooms in the addition, will seat one hundred and fifty pupils. School 9, district 5, is of stone, 25 by 36 feet, at Resh's. When this school was established an unoccupied dwelling house was rented, which, with its contracted and ill-ventilated rooms, was found unsuitable for the purpose. School 6, district 6, is of brick, 24 by 36 feet, at Ruhl's. It replaces a dilapidated log house in which some of the pioneers of the present system served an apprenticeship more than forty years ago. School 9, district 8, is of stone, 24 by 36 feet, at Shaneybrook's, on the York turnpike. For ten years a school has been kept in this neighborhood, in a narrow frame shanty, built by the Northern Central Railroad Co. for a tool house. A new building has frequently been petitioned by the patrons. School 10, district 8, at Warren, is built of stone, contains two class rooms with seats for one hundred pupils. This school has been conducted in a damp basement with decayed floor, flat upon the ground, and narrow windows, barely admitting sufficient light. The primary grades were in a rented room up stairs, where they were in constant danger of falling through upon the heads of those below. It was a hard necessity that compelled parents to risk the health and lives of their children in such a place as this, and they are highly gratified in having more comfortible surroundings. School 8, district 11, on the Bel Air road, is of brick and replaces an old house which was sold at public sale for $18.90. It is in the centre of a growing settlement and will accommodate about eighty-five pupils. School 1, district 12, at Canton, is a two-story brick building with eight class rooms and four hat and cloak rooms; four class rooms and two cloak rooms are in the second story. The house is in the centre of a rec-

tangular lot, which is so divided that each sex has its own entrance on opposite sides of the building. Heretofore two hundred and twenty-five pupils have been crowded into a house built for half the number, in which there was no ventilation, except through windows and doors, and the air breathed by so many was not only unhealthly, but offensive. School 14, district 12, is at Highlandtown, and is built of brick, with two rooms. The lot and old house were purchased by the board in 1877. One room was not sufficient for the increasing population of this thriving village, and more extensive accommodations were demanded. During one term the school increased from seventy to one hundred and twenty-five pupils. School 4, district 13, at Mount Winans, is of brick, 24 by 36 feet. It replaces the school formerly held at Sextonville, in a house which did not belong to the county, kindly granted free of rent by Mr. Sexton. Other buildings are petitioned for, and in many cases they are much needed to replace the frame shells erected when the system was in its infany. These houses cannot all be built in any one year, as it is the policy of the board to shun debt. The necessary running expenses of the schools is the first consideration, and any surplus over and above this will be applied to building purposes. It is economy to have substantial houses, and they will be built where they are most needed, as the money is furnished by those who control the purse strings.

The public schools continue to become more popular as they increase in efficiency. This report shows an increase of five hundred and seven pupils over the number entered in 1878. Many who heretofore patronized private schools are now sending their children to our public schools. The substantial and practical is sought in place of the ornamental, and the thorough English course now guaranteed is the recommendation of the public school. When it is completed, pupils are prepared either for the Freshman class at college, or the ordinary avocations of life. A large majority of our teachers are experienced and competent educators, and are doing good work. Those

who fall below this standard are fast disappearing, and trustees are demanding something more than a permit to keep school. Two normal classes, one for white and the other for colored teachers, have been organized, the expense of which is borne by those desiring instruction. The Saturday class for white teachers is held at Reisterstown, and is conducted by E. E. Ijams, Principal of the Reisterstown High School. A number of teachers have availed themselves of the advantages of his instruction. The class for colored teachers is conducted by Jos. S. Whittington, Principal of the Waverly High School. It is held at the Howard Normal School, Baltimore, during the month of July. His thorough system of teaching has infused new life into these people, which is perceptible in the management of their schools.

Gradation is now an accomplished fact, and it is the general opinion of the teachers that this system, properly conducted, with annual questions for promotion, prepared by the Examiner, must result in the efficiency of the system. The same questions were sent to all the schools. The examination began on Monday, the sixteenth of June, subject to uniform rules and regulations, and a time table for the different grades and studies. The detailed statement here given shows the result of the year's work, though it is not as complete as it should be, owing to the fact that several teachers neglected to send in reports.

Number examined in		Number promoted	
First Grade	1099	First Grade	421
Second Grade	995	Second Grade	608
Third Grade	986	Third Grade	645
Fourth Grade	1012	Fourth Grade	443
Fifth Grade	569	Fifth Grade	207
Sixth Grade	266	Sixth Grade	97
Seventh Grade	54	Seventh Grade	38

Thirty-eight pupils (twenty-five boys and thirteen girls) completed the public school course, making the required average in the seventh grade, and received certificates of scholarship.

The Legislature meets again in January, and we trust no changes will be made in the School Law which may result to the detriment of the schools. Experience has made school officials familiar with the present system; it is bearing abundant fruit; the people are satisfied, and where there is no general complaint it would be wise to let well enough alone.

THOS. C. BRUFF, *Examiner.*

BALTIMORE COUNTY.—SUMMARY OF SCHOOL STATISTICS

For the Year ending June 30, 1879.

	1879.	1878.
Number of School Houses—Frame, 92; Brick, 35; Log, 4; Stone, 22	153	153
Number of Male Teachers (Principals)	88	88
" Female "	67	65
" Male " (Assistants)	2	3
" Female "	54	51
Total	211	207
Number of Fenced Lots	60	51
" Schools having Out-buildings	125	120
" " having good Furniture	145	140
" Terms Schools were Open	4	4
" Different Pupils for the Year—White.....10,859		
Colored.... 1,028		
	11,887	11,380
" Average attendance	5,772	5,449
" " enrollment	8,190	7,784
" Official School Visits paid by Examiner	165	120

Number of Pupils.

	Fall Term.		Winter Term.		Spring Term.		Summer Term.	
	1879.	1878.	1879.	1878.	1879.	1878.	1879.	1878.
On roll	7,814	7,287	8,673	8,272	8,553	8,254	7,720	7,322
Average attendance	5,501	5,226	5,885	5,781	6,197	5,898	5,507	5,155

	1879.	1878.
Number of Pupils in 1st Grade December 1	1,581	1,513
" " 2nd " " 1	1,269	1,295
" " 3rd " " 1	1,773	1,679
" " 4th " " 1	1,882	1,669
" " 5th " " 1	1,318	1,216
" " 6th " " 1	588	653
" " 7th " " 1	96	84
" " Ungraded December 1	129	118

" " Book keeping, 96; Algebra, 684; Philosophy, 96; Drawing, 375; Geometry, 96; Physiology, 684; Latin, 61; German, 427; Botany, 114; Natural History, 30.

SCHOOL HOUSES BUILT OR ENLARGED DURING THE YEAR.

No. of School.	District.	Description of House.	Contract price.	Amount paid for Grading, Out buildings, Fencing, Repairs of old Buildings, &c.	Cost of School House Lots.	Amount paid during the School Year ending September 30th, 1879.
2	1	Brick Addition.	$2,745 00	.....	.....	$171 50
10	1	Brick House.	2,755 00	.....	.....	245 00
1	2	Brick House.	1,922 00	.....	$30 00	430 30
3	2	Stone House.	2,000 00	.....	200 00	200 00
9	2	Stone House.	3,825 00	.....	.....	2,325 00
10	2	Stone House.	1,510 00	$535 70	.....	2,045 70
2	3	Brick House.	1,550 00	.....	.....	427 20
9	5	Stone House.	1,025 00	210 00	45 00	1,280 60
6	6	Brick House.	1,287 00	498 29	.....	1,785 29
9	7	Brick House	1,394 00	.....	.....	464 00
10	7	Frame Vestibule, &c.	.....	.....	.....	142 88
9	8	Stone House.	1,377 00	.....	150 00	184 58
10	8	Stone House.	2,880 00	.....	.....	100 80
2	9	Frame Addition.	1,270 00	689 25	.....	1,959 25
7	9	Brick Addition.	2,792 00	215 12	.....	3,007 12
8	11	Brick House.	3,000 00	.....	.....	3,000 00
1	12	Brick House.	7,850 00	.....	.....	1,774 75
14	12	Brick House.	3,375 00	763 74	.....	4,138 74
4	13	Brick House.	1,750 00	.....	.....	661 25
		Total.....				$24,543 96

BALTIMORE COUNTY—SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Attendance for the year ending June 30, 1879.*

No. of School.	District.	Name of Teacher.	Fall Term.		Winter Term.		Spring Term.		Summer Term.		No. of different pupils for the year.
			On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	
1	1	George M. Ettinger	104	73	112	71	104	63	99	60	146
1	1	Sallie L. Guyton	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
2	1	D. P. Barnette	182	148	186	160	185	147	183	154	222
2	1	Sallie A. Ebaugh	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
2	1	Sudie M. Pole	...	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
2	1	Rachel Walker	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
3	1	Eugene E. Marriott	52	42	50	37	50	40	50	37	61
4	1	Margaret A. McBee	32	21	34	22	34	23	31	22	47
5	1	Daniel T. Hanley	27	15	29	16	36	20	25	15	43
6	1	C. Eugenie Hanna	56	42	34	20	43	37	44	34	84
7	1	Daniel W Smith	52	39	60	39	53	45	52	39	78
8	1	William Griffith	88	63	86	57	90	67	90	63	119
8	1	Mary E. Platt	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	...
9	1	Sallie O. Phillips	78	63	86	71	85	75	94	80	118
9	1	Mary K. Holden	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
10	1	G. Clinton Hanna	126	96	128	99	135	102	114	84	152
10	1	Belle E. Chapman	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
10	1	Dora Stiefel	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
11	1	Rose E. Pearce	29	20	28	20	24	19	30	18	44
12	1	E. W. Rau	97	85	102	80	97	78	84	67	109
12	1	Lizzie Schofield	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
13	1	F. Otto Lang	304	258	295	236	296	256	301	243	354
13	1	Jennie R. Price	....	....	...	....	....	....	....	....	....
13	1	Lydia McGee	....	....	....	...	....	....	....	....	....

BALTIMORE COUNTY—SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Attendance for year ending June* 30, 1879—Continued.

No. of School.	District.	Name of Teacher.	Fall Term.		Winter Term.		Spring Term.		Summer Term.		No. of different pupils for the year.
			On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	
13	1	Olivia Harrison	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
13	1	A. Hering	....	....	....	....	....	...	....	....	....
13	1	A Imhuelsen	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
13	1	J. H. Kunker	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
1	2	Alice A Jean	35	24	47	33	42	32	45	33	87
2	2	Alice L. Harvey	26	21	32	24	28	22	16	13	42
3	2	Charles A. Read	56	37	54	30	53	40	60	37	82
4	2	Annie D. Hale	22	17	26	20	28	22	26	17	38
5	2	Robert B. Chapman	44	36	57	45	57	47	42	31	64
6	2	Thomas C. Stringer	30	18	28	19	37	24	25	13	47
7	2	Wilbur F. Smith	44	24	51	21	....	...	....	....	....
7	2	C. B. Haslup	....	....	...	....	52	33	47	27	74
8	2	Ella D. Nicholson	26	15	26	18	28	21	20	13	43
9	2	Ellen Turner	37	27	48	29	38	25	30	21	52
10	2	Eugenia L. Jones	25	19	28	22	33	27	26	20	41
1	3	Addie Morningstar	44	33	46	27	38	23	42	25	77
2	3	E. H. Read	94	67	92	66	89	64	79	58	122
2	3	H. Dora Marshall	....	....	...	....	....	....	....	....	....
2	3	Jennie M. Godfrey	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
3	3	John S. Stansbury	45	30	50	33	58	40	35	23	77
4	3	E. G. Gover	143	98	136	94	135	103	137	96	170
4	3	Ida P. Barton	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
4	3	Mollie Cassell	....	....	....	....	.	....	....	....	...
5	3	Ira S. Fallin	282	211	288	204	299	222	290	208	378

5	3	Rachel E. Prill	....	....	....	...	....	....	....	....	....
5	3	Maggie Simpson	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
5	3	Annie Pilson	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	...	...
5	3	Adelaide Dougherty	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
6	3	Fannie H. Davis	28	20	40	28	45	36	37	28	63
7	3	Silas Berryman	34	21	39	24	34	23	28	18	59
8	3	Perley R. Lovejoy	68	54	74	57	73	63	74	59	86
8	3	Ella Culbreth	....	....	....	...	....	....	....	...	....
1	4	Frank T. Newbelle	24	16	37	25	39	27	32	20	53
2	4	George Prechtel	25	16	37	26	44	31	29	20	54
3	4	Mary R. Groff	15	11	15	10	16	11	12	8	23
4	4	Alverda Gore	30	15	24	12	24	11	30	13	55
5	4	E. E. Ijams	140	95	142	92	140	103	146	117	215
5	4	Alice A. Parsons	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
5	4	Mary Y. Parkison	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	...	....
6	4	Amy Fisher	20	12	21	13	16	10	13	8	29
7	4	T. Reese Arnold	37	26	50	36	52	37	35	26	69
8	4	Annie J. Houck	27	17	30	19	33	19	25	15	50
1	5	Noah H. Cole	37	27	50	37	43	31	28	20	57
2	5	David A Ebaugh	30	23	51	39	49	40	33	27	60
3	5	Mamie A. Price	33	14	57	35	57	32	26	17	85
4	5	Thomas Kelbaugh	71	42	85	53	90	50	70	41	121
4	5	Mary Orrick	....	....	....	....	....	....	...	....	....
5	5	Charles E. Markland	55	36	59	33	53	37	52	35	87
6	5	N. Frank Cofiell	38	25	45	29	41	31	37	20	54
7	5	Lottie Cole	25	16	38	25	33	23	20	13	46
8	5	C. Wesley Price	43	28	64	45	60	48	41	31	81
9	5	James A. Zepp	32	23	72	52	69	52	37	25	88
9	5	Natillia D. Hall	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
1	6	Georgie Royston	41	31	53	40	56	41	46	35	83
2	6	Wm. S. Hyson	20	10	....	...	....	....	....	...	....
2	6	Bennett T. Hoshall	....	....	30	20	29	19	17	9	42
3	6	Isaac Shaver	46	35	64	50	60	44	43	33	85
4	6	Maggie Hendrix	30	20	54	36	52	36	26	18	72
5	6	George P. Morris	41	29	63	45	66	48	58	43	82
6	6	Temple Mason	28	17	...	...	....	....	....	....	....

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			On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	
6	6	John E. Bahn	....	....	66	46	63	46	45	34	91
7	6	Samuel A. Sweeney	21	16	39	30	36	28	20	17	54
8	6	William K. Zeigler	23	15	32	22	30	22	16	11	44
1	7	James E Green	39	28	59	39	51	39	49	40	76
2	7	S. Allen Leib	28	20	50	34	47	31	28	23	71
3	7	Wm. Rutledge	31	21	43	28	42	27	36	26	69
4	7	John S. McGirr	36	27	44	32	40	31	30	22	57
5	7	Belle Miller	38	29	46	32	52	40	53	38	78
6	7	Laura V. Davis	18	10	20	11	13	9	17	9	26
7	7	J. J. Starr	43	33	43	33	43	32	51	34	59
8	7	Lizzie E. Stultz	23	13	32	18	32	21	25	17	44
9	7	William H. Hendricks	29	21	50	34	54	35	27	21	72
10	7	Jennie S. Price	31	22	38	27	36	27	25	18	55
11	7	Georgia Leib	17	10	38	25	39	24	24	17	58
1	8	Joshua G. Bosley	23	16	26	18	26	17	22	17	38
2	8	A. S. Jordan	40	26	50	20	37	20	35	21	57
3	8	R. J. W. Love	40	28	42	27	36	25	42	51	67
4	8	William R. Hipsley	26	17	36	23	32	25	26	20	51
5	8	Thomas O'Hara	112	76	110	67	98	63	106	70	139
5	8	Bettie Vansant	....	...	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
6	8	Michael F. Conner	149	101	146	90	144	97	138	98	178
6	8	Mary R. Bussey	....	....	....	...	....	....	....	....	....
6	8	Mary M. Byrne	....	....	....	....	....	...	....	....	....
7	8	John T. Wilson	115	82	105	76	106	83	86	67	149

7	8	Nellie Evans	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
7	8	Amanda Wilson	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
8	8	Mollie P. Cole	20	16	18	11	22	16	20	12	32
10	8	Edward G. Nelson	84	65	82	59	74	59	71	56	99
10	8	Emma Leilich	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
1	9	James R. Shipley	121	59	105	51	106	55	94	51	171
1	9	Susie Wyman	....	..	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
2	9	Charles M. White	221	156	203	129	185	140	196	145	253
2	9	Gertrude Porter	...	....	....	...	....	....	....	..	....
2	9	Rose E. Upshur	....	....	....	...	....	....	....	....	....
3	9	Georgia T. Hall	75	52	73	48	74	54	70	48	101
3	9	Mollie L. Merceron	....	....	....	...	....	....	....	....	....
4	9	Alexander Francis	78	49	75	42	78	50	75	48	109
4	9	Clara V. Bateman	....	...	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
5	9	M. Fannie Ensor	33	24	42	29	40	32	37	26	51
6	9	N. F. Armacost	43	30	....	...	....	....	....	....	....
6	9	Frank Peterson	....	...	41	28	....	....	....	....	....
6	9	N. F. Armacost	....	....	....	....	49	32	44	29	71
7	9	B C. Reed	204	164	204	138	192	153	185	153	272
7	9	Mattie A Isaac	.. .	....	....	...	....	....	....	....	. ..
7	9	Annie Cullington	....	...	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
7	9	Ada B Ebaugh	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
7	9	Hattie Hopkins	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
8	9	Sarah E. Weish	37	27	37	28	39	31	34	24	50
9	9	Mary E. Burton	36	24	38	24	36	27	37	25	57
10	9	George W. Ijams	46	33	46	34	44	31	43	29	72
11	9	Edgar Arnold	27	18	40	30	46	32	35	24	71
12	9	Joseph S. Whittington	369	258	377	247	364	264	371	261	439
12	9	Emma Bankhead	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
12	9	Ella Harrison	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
12	9	Nora Jones	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
12	9	Susie Dougherty	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
12	9	Laura Nicholai	....	...	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
12	9	Mollie E. Scott	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
13	9	Michael O'Hara	180	140	180	133	191	148	212	158	266
13	9	Elizabeth H. Purnell	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....

BALTIMORE COUNTY—SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Attendance for the year ending June* 30, 1879.

No. of School.	District.	Name of Teacher.	Fall Term.		Winter Term.		Spring Term.		Summer Term.		No. of different pupils for the year.
			On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	
13	9	Clara Jones	....	....	....	....	....	....	...	....	....
1	10	John L. Fitzpatrick	31	20	26	15	23	14	24	17	44
2	10	H. Lizzie Wheeler	19	15	26	18	24	18	18	15	36
3	10	Mollie E Brown	21	18	29	22	26	21	28	21	37
4	10	Robert H Bussey	14	8	23	16	25	18	13	10	28
5	10	William H. Morris	46	30	46	28	38	21	49	35	60
6	10	N. D. R. Allen	11	5	19	10	18	10	12	7	24
7	10	Ella M. Merritt	20	14	19	14	20	15	19	13	25
8	10	Charles W. Anderson	57	37	58	37	75	50	70	37	89
8	10	Ozello K. Burnette	....	....	....	...	...	....	....	....	....
9	10	Belle F. Hall	23	14	21	13	27	14	24	19	38
10	10	Louisa McBride	37	32	50	35	51	29	40	30	59
1	11	Annie P. Riddle	20	16	37	28	...	....	....	....	....
1	11	Susie Burton	....	....	....	....	29	24	30	20	52
2	11	Lillie R. Chenoweth	46	31	36	24	42	31	31	28	62
3	11	T. F. Murray	62	44	70	49	71	49	63	47	96
3	11	Mary G. Tynan	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
4	11	Hattie Jacobs	40	27	40	28	31	24	37	24	57
5	11	Rebecca Sheridan	47	31	38	25	36	29	43	33	85
6	11	Eliza P. Higle	73	46	73	34	70	49	70	43	125
6	11	Isadore Chenoweth	....	....	....	.. .	....	....	....	....	....
7	11	Annie E. Offley	31	14	39	17	47	32	41	23	64
8	11	C. B. Billingsley	38	24	45	32	50	39	39	27	74
9	11	Emily Hyde	41	29	41	30	47	28	45	38	52

10	11	Mary A. Kane	33	27	36	29	....	....	....	....	....
10	11	H. Dora Marshall	....	....	...	....	30	26	28	24	45
1	12	Francis Kenney	237	177	235	171	243	183	244	175	802
1	12	Emma Storch	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
1	12	Florence Martin	....	....	...	....	....	....	...	....	....
1	12	Georgie Yeates	....	....	...	....	....	....	....	....	....
2	12	Lulu M. Christian	39	26	48	30	49	35	37	22	61
3	12	Laura R. E. Phelps	27	16	38	19	41	29	36	27	42
4	12	Ettie D. Brown	19	11	17	9	16	11	25	17	30
5	12	Lizzie H. Foulke	13	8	20	14	15	10	13	10	26
6	12	Ella M. Todd	21	12	25	16	25	19	25	16	33
7	12	John R. Tucker	28	17	40	27	36	24	20	10	48
8	12	N. Taylor Hall	25	12	23	14	37	20	31	17	49
9	12	Imogene Owens	18	11	25	18	27	17	13	10	31
10	12	Calvin T. Shaffer	24	17	35	26	35	22	25	17	45
11	12	Lida J. Torrington	30	20	42	26	45	38	44	27	58
12	12	Ella L. Kenney	39	23	47	28	47	31	44	25	58
13	12	W. J. Blair	29	17	44	29	42	34	34	22	56
14	12	Mary L. Molloy	65	39	64	33	46	37	92	68	112
15	12	George E. Lang	76	46	81	58	73	58	62	40	111
15	12	Belle Bankhead	....	....	...	....	...	...	....	....	....
1	13	Mary E. Garwood	51	34	46	27	48	36	38	20	65
2	13	Monroe Mitchell	42	22	57	31	56	28	29	11	60
3	13	Maggie Clegg	35	22	31	19	33	24	37	23	44
4	13	M. Olivia Smith	42	25	33	21	35	26	36	23	59
			7,224	5,084	7,932	5,377	7,847	5,709	7,146	5,101	10,859

BALTIMORE COUNTY—SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Expenses for year ending September* 30, 1879.

No. of School.	District.	Value of School Property.	Fuel.	Repairs.	Other Incidental Expenses.	Furniture, Black Boards, Stoves.	Cost of Books.	Teachers' Salaries for the year.
1	1	$2,574 00	$43 75	$4 50	$10 92	$39 82	$63 40	$932 80
2	1	5,668 00	93 75	84 49	71 93	354 36	308 66	2,181 97
3	1	817 00	14 00	281 14	11 35	....	95 36	415 64
4	1	98 50	24 75	31 51	10 95	104 06	89 47	293 14
5	1	1 553 85	26 76	21 00	14 40	.....	16 28	427 00
6	1	1,286 50	32 50	36 75	11 25	.....	48 09	321 45
7	1	1,000 00	26 25	70 00	8 50	17 50	120 52	332 12
8	1	2,988 17	31 50	2 00	2 02	.....	118 39	880 85
9	1	2,097 50	32 50	9 16	8 41	18 00	154 65	831 90
10	1	4,555 10	52 25	10 20	30 94	.....	115 84	1,446 95
11	1	82 67	....	....	....	.....	22 79	502 20
12	1	352 61	28 25	12 03	42 36	20 47	144 10	811 50
13	1	1,525 77	74 00	7 50	79 28	9 00	40 71	3,288 77
1	2	2,969 00	27 25	6 00	7 56	16 50	42 43	468 10
2	2	800 00	15 00	....	3 25	.....	24 60	493 52
3	2	2,700 00	28 50	2 75	9 90	39 41	85 06	564 84
4	2	752 00	32 50	6 25	12 25	....	24 62	350 41
5	2	766 00	19 75	4 50	8 64	.....	92 15	505 81
6	2	158 40	22 02	....	6 47	.....	45 51	412 21
7	2	1,884 00	23 69	46 75	3 03	1 50	61 92	417 67
8	2	640 00	26 75	....	1 90	.....	18 15	418 50
9	2	3,987 00	26 75	....	15 13	150 99	57 25	530 80
10	2	2,500 00	22 50	....	20 22	.....	45 90	449 39
1	3	528 50	15 62	....	2 51	.....	43 83	381 40
2	3	3,243 00	38 24	345 89	45 89	149 75	90 66	963 50
3	3	1,025 00	24 63	....	1 85	5 54	73 15	558 00
4	3	8,740 87	89 00	46 86	66 55	.....	252 09	1,475 76
5	3	11,000 00	146 36	19 10	206 73	5 00	342 93	3,200 00
6	3	1,453 00	25 00	....	7 82	.....	63 12	489 50
7	3	1,805 50	28 00	3 35	19 15	6 90	48 84	441 31
8	3	560 00	56 61	....	20 50	.....	95 42	887 28
1	4	368 00	23 61	....	7 60	14 75	57 28	519 30
2	4	759 50	22 25	2 87	4 99	.....	50 28	442 40
3	4	456 00	16 68	....	5 62	.....	14 56	381 00
4	4	1,380 00	36 88	13 38	6 72	....	33 44	502 40
5	4	6,132 00	70 51	78 75	126 87	34 00	265 96	1,800 00
6	4	112 00	17 25	8 35	9 53	.....	32 88	389 00
7	4	1,286 50	17 25	105 72	12 54	60 85	58 56	504 20
8	4	1,180 50	30 05	185 00	6 46	19 40	57 44	461 77
1	5	750 00	12 00	...	2 50	.....	51 50	383 41
2	5	800 00	12 00	....	1 00	.. .	66 47	503 10
3	5	410 00	15 75	3 00	3 83	45 76	106 98	311 67
4	5	868 50	30 26	50	1 08	38 25	180 47	793 64
5	5	976 50	13 85	....	19 40	.....	41 30	531 00
6	5	1,300 00	13 37	4 00	1 51	7 47	93 81	381 52
7	5	471 50	23 63	....	6 14	.....	45 53	344 24
8	5	632 00	16 50	20 76	10 81	127 47	96 33	417 39
9	5	1,800 00	....	....	8 61	68 90	116 25	510 39
1	6	869 60	15 21	3 60	8 71	5 92	30 14	565 20

BALTIMORE COUNTY—SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Expenses for year ending September 30, 1879*—Continued.

No. of School.	District.	Value of School Property.	Fuel.	Repairs.	Other Incidental Expenses.	Furniture, Black Boards, Stoves.	Cost of Books.	Teachers' Salaries for the year.
2	6	$1,113 50	$3 00	$2 50	$3 78	$2 00	$23 42	$376 94
3	6	942 00	15 30	10 43	1 40	.....	51 23	568 79
4	6	1,067 00	32 10	7 98	10 05	.....	67 71	382 24
5	6	1,511 00	18 45	....	42	3 25	125 33	579 30
6	6	2,450 00	4 38	126 96	10 70	168 69	82 71	438 90
7	6	1,687 50	26 95	12 80	4 65	.....	40 67	428 50
8	6	700 00	15 50	....	6 66	.....	28 53	343 85
1	7	2,600 00	27 40	....	11 53	6 25	115 05	565 00
2	7	1,977 00	22 92	4 50	5 73	.....	53 20	442 05
3	7	761 00	19 72	64 96	5 22	5 50	80 64	377 40
4	7	1,013 00	27 50	24 88	8 50	50	38 91	535 00
5	7	700 00	15 00	19 44	4 48	17 31	30 37	480 70
6	7	709 50	31 72	....	8 31	.....	42 52	323 34
7	7	1,576 00	33 25	1 35	4 00	17 16	54 14	546 20
8	7	310 50	9 25	10 75	65	1 50	17 13	427 80
9	7	1,700 00	28 60	80 00	5 40	74 23	76 72	383 29
10	7	860 00	28 63	....	4 21	.....	58 95	366 66
11	7	1,439 42	20 70	2 40	15 82	.....	105 06	427 40
1	8	655 50	25 00	12 75	4 75	.....	70 65	493 14
2	8	1,133 00	18 00	51 99	1 82	.....	27 60	305 21
3	8	190 00	....	....	7 85	.....	45 83	380 57
4	8	700 00	8 75	....	14 30	.....	42 78	434 10
5	8	522 00	33 81	5 00	26 05	7 90	215 64	813 40
6	8	567 50	37 90	...	18 75	7 25	362 99	984 78
7	8	494 00	66 15	....	28 44	.....	82 35	1,175 03
8	8	884 50	...	121 17	4 75	.....	13 31	338 30
10	8	3,300 00	18 75	6 05	21 30	71 90	59 53	867 58
1	9	2,144 00	40 35	57 35	26 35	19 90	79 53	903 50
2	9	3,000 00	52 45	4 99	62 32	577 48	212 53	1,924 38
3	9	1,705 00	32 75	93 72	22 25	.....	98 26	775 78
4	9	2,399 00	21 75	43 75	12 00	11 00	45 42	945 20
5	9	859 70	13 60	....	4 08	.....	61 02	303 35
6	9	1,972 00	7 00	4 75	15 13	18 00	72 26	439 48
7	9	11,450 00	33 00	480 51	145 10	405 57	435 49	2,637 50
8	9	1,470 00	....	....	2 35	.....	55 63	448 00
9	9	520 20	17 25	....	10 15	22 85	47 30	446 60
10	9	1,268 00	5 00	...	12 23	.....	103 62	426 33
11	9	100 00	5 00	5 08	6 90	6 00	97 54	446 12
12	9	12,500 00	136 87	203 50	139 86	174 69	648 27	3 925 27
13	9	560 00	60 00	5 50	48 45	125 74	213 65	1,980 77
1	10	425 00	19 37	7 00	9 94	15 50	27 39	417 80
2	10	309 50	14 00	11 25	3 86	.....	29 31	329 83
3	10	63 10	2 00	....	25 61	10 00	67 92	459 44
4	10	638 00	33 50	4 53	8 17	.....	49 54	298 59
5	10	768 00	30 50	....	17 06	5 24	120 60	510 45
6	10	300 00	27 50	....	9 00	.....	43 68	292 81
7	10	150 00	26 15	..	3 98	1 50	36 84	477 00
8	10	2,516 00	38 05	1 00	4 72	75	71 68	666 50
9	10	569 00	19 12	....	7 95	.....	27 42	409 00

BALTIMORE COUNTY—SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Expenses for year ending September* 30, 1879—Continued.

No. of School.	District.	Value of School Property.	Fuel.	Repairs.	Other Incidental Expenses.	Furniture, Black-Boards, Stoves.	Cost of Books.	Teachers' Salaries for the year.
10	10	$2,507 00	$23 12	$7 25	$2 89	$31 25	$75 99	$548 85
1	11	1,588 50	26 25	...	15 94	1 00	40 74	492 00
2	11	1,033 00	16 50	4 50	9 58	.....	86 23	457 70
3	11	1,655 75	49 75	1 70	17 54	.....	48 82	899 80
4	11	602 00	14 75	...	11 65	16 00	36 99	529 40
5	11	949 00	40 50	....	8 82	2 00	105 72	309 72
6	11	1,168 50	42 58	54 30	10 50	29 50	122 67	781 53
7	11	936 00	15 75	4 24	10 02	.....	46 81	495 38
8	11	3,500 00	17 50	40 00	2 94	204 90	83 98	391 56
9	11	300 00	21 50	5 42	17 63	28 80	86 50	468 58
10	11	2,500 00	21 00	175 60	10 95	54 88	182 67	518 90
1	12	13,300 00	57 50	33 36	38 35	3 95	224 03	2,490 00
2	12	708 15	30 50	13 00	23 40	28 75	153 78	543 20
3	12	1,667 00	20 25	8 00	3 75	.....	31 17	495 39
4	12	631 65	25 20	....	11 80	40 54	37 00	456 61
5	12	46 00	32 25	....	7 45	.....	25 99	211 65
6	12	398 25	37 00	3 00	10 53	.....	23 36	410 20
7	12	1,262 00	16 50	3 75	1 75	.....	40 67	515 30
8	12	771 00	14 00	....	12 65	.....	41 71	430 60
9	12	677 55	25 00	52 27	2 50	97 06	3 07	256 07
10	12	201 50	14 24	....	10 04	.....	32 95	360 58
11	12	748 00	18 25	4 25	15 45	.....	71 24	460 60
12	12	838 00	23 25	7 00	25 95	.....	31 84	364 47
13	12	1,504 00	16 00	...	16 30	.....	30 21	488 75
14	12	4,638 75	8 50	....	23 10	101 90	66 86	581 20
15	12	350 00	19 38	5 90	7 18	.....	30 38	915 23
1	13	567 00	21 00	29 72	2 62	.....	129 17	487 93
2	13	611 00	10 25	....	10 12	.....	31 53	411 95
3	13	910 45	16 00	....	15 05	.....	50 15	361 22
4	13	2,650 00	12 13	....	5 60	22 00	29 13	477 09
		$216,235 01	$3,465 82	$3,429 76	$2,204 61	$3,801 76	$10,907 30	$85,276 55

BALTIMORE COUNTY—COLORED SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Attendance for year ending June 30, 1879.*

No. of School	District	Name of Teacher.	Fall Term. On Roll.	Fall Term. Average daily attendance.	Winter Term. On Roll.	Winter Term. Average daily attendance.	Spring Term. On Roll	Spring Term. Average daily attendance.	Summer Term. On Roll.	Summer Term. Average daily attendance.	No. of different pupils for the year.
1	1	M. Josephine Jones	49	41	59	52	51	43	37	34	68
2	1	Geo. W. Nicholson	21	16	25	17	22	17	....	....	25
3	1	Mary F. Wilson	33	18	29	18	30	21	27	19	46
4	1	Susie E. Maloney	30	21	38	29	34	26	29	25	39
1	2	Eliza M. Murry	20	15	36	22	40	30	20	13	59
2	2	Mary A. Butler	....	....	....	....	...	....	21	15	21
2	3	Henry E. Earl	34	21	32	22	22	13	...	....	43
3	3	Genevieve M. Warren	36	24	35	20	32	19	29	17	43
4	3	Hannah E. Crane	18	13	21	18	26	22	23	17	27
1	4	Richard Fry	18	12	27	18	27	17	20	14	29
2	4	Richard Riggs	24	15	24	15	22	15	26	18	48
3	4	Wm. H. B. Vodery	32	22	29	15	22	16	25	19	39
1	7	Alfred Sparks	....	....	25	18	25	18	20	16	38
1	8	Mary J. Anderson	22	14	19	12	19	8	22	13	27
2	8	Henry E. Arnold	17	13	28	17	28	19	22	17	36
3	8	Fannie Griffin	....	....	...	....	...	....	24	20	24
1	9	Lulu Gray	28	23	33	16	28	16	21	14	36
2	9	Daniel Scott	21	16	18	15	15	14	16	15	27
1	10	William Denny	17	12	19	10	21	13	11	8	30
2	10	Nannie B. Grooms	....	....	24	20	32	22	25	16	38
2	11	William Lee	21	15	36	25	35	21	21	15	42
3	11	Laura V. Lewis	17	11	27	14	27	16	19	12	31
2	12	John H. L. Cooper	36	30	36	35	36	24	23	15	53
3	12	John E. Hackett	17	7	29	17	30	21	17	10	36
4	12	James H. Scott	24	16	31	18	23	12	25	12	42
1	13	John H. Camper	29	25	33	29	34	27	31	19	37
2	13	Harry Wilson	26	17	28	16	25	18	20	13	44
			590	417	741	508	706	488	574	406	1,028

BALTIMORE COUNTY—COLORED SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Expenses for year ending September* 30, 1879.

No. of School.	District.	Fuel.	Repairs.	Other Incidental Expenses.	Furniture, Black Bourds, Stoves.	Cost of Books.	Teachers' Salaries for the year.	Receipts from Books.
1	1	$42 90	$2 62	$6 08	$10 00	$97 08	$319 19	$120 00
2	1	31 25	....	1 74	....	21 70	201 49	39 00
3	1	30 00	...	10 60	....	46 81	272 60	68 25
4	1	12 50	....	1 00	....	24 93	294 49	83 25
1	2	24 00	....	80	....	32 80	271 79	75 00
2	2	....	...	....	....	17 84	50 50	12 75
2	3	1 75	....	80	3 50	29 64	201 64	57 75
3	3	12 30	....	...	....	10 36	293 58	84 75
4	3	23 48	....	2 95	....	37 61	249 12	56 25
1	4	16 65	....	70	18 99	36 28	272 68	58 50
2	4	20 50	....	75	15 50	.....	269 48	56 25
3	4	21 75	....	5 53	....	21 31	281 62	66 75
1	7	17 50	....	1 15	...	44 86	189 16	36 50
1	8	12 25	....	50	....	43 19	252 89	50 25
2	8	20 25	....	1 75	....	22 79	273 97	59 25
3	8	....	....	...	....	33 95	69 33	14 75
1	9	6 50	....	1 00	19 58	16 17	284 29	70 50
2	9	14 00	....	1 15	....	15 40	259 99	42 75
1	10	4 96	....	2 99	....	16 63	249 45	43 35
2	10	17 85	....	6 80	32 08	45 24	172 74	45 50
2	11	10 00	....	2 95	....	23 98	282 94	70 50
3	11	5 25	....	50	....	3 24	270 10	58 50
2	12	7 75	....	2 64	....	55 11	289 97	86 00
3	12	9 75	....	....	....	44 29	253 66	60 75
4	12	9 12	....	....	....	34 22	264 70	63 00
1	13	26 25	1 50	8 73	19 40	40 66	290 60	75 15
2	13	8 79	....	1 64	....	20 87	278 54	74 25
		$407 30	$4 12	$62 75	$119 05	$836 96	$6,660 51	$1,629 50

BALTIMORE COUNTY.—*Statement of Receipts and Disbursements for Public School Purposes, for the Year ending September* 30, 1879.

RECEIPTS.

Balance on hand, September 30, 1878	$24,152 20
Bank Book in excess of Cash Book	1 30
State School Tax for June, 1878	8,952 68
" " 1879	33,907 08
State Free School Fund for 1878	3,140 30
" " 1879	3,124 55
State Donations for 1878	1,200 00
" " 1879	1,200 00
County School Tax at .. Cents on $100, on levies from 1868 to 1879 inclusive	82,882 01
Fines and Forfeitures	424 25
Book Fees—White Schools	14,690 32
" Colored "	1,629 50
State Appropriation to Colored Schools for June, 1878	1,096 02
" " " 1879	4,384 08
Sale of Old Property—School 8, District 11	18 90
	$180,803 19

DISBURSEMENTS

Teachers' Salaries		$ 85,276 55	
Fuel		3,465 82	
Incidental Expenses of Schools		2,204 61	
Rent		1,410 85	
Books and Stationery		10,907 30	
Copy Books on hand, September 30, 1879		1,000 00	
Building School Houses and School House Lots		24,543 96	
Repairing "		3,429 76	
Furniture, Black Boards and Stoves		3,801 76	
Salary of Secretary, Treasurer and Examiner		1,800 00	
Salary of Assistant Examiner		1,000 00	
Per Diem of School Commissioners		500 00	
Office Expenses		282 03	
Blank and Account Books		346 28	
Printing and Advertising		582 10	
Maryland School Journal		143 00	
Attorney's Salary		100 00	
County Teachers' Association		25 00	
Paper for Annual Examination of Pupils		153 00	
Paid to Colored Schools:			
Salaries	$6,660 51		
Fuel	407 30		
Repairs	4 12		
Incidentals	62 75		
Furniture	119 05		
Cost of Books	836 96		
		8,090 69	
Balance Cash on Hand		31,740 48	
			180,803 19

CALVERT CO.—SUMMARY OF SCHOOL STATISTICS

For the year ending June 30, 1879.

	Colored.		White.	
	1878.	1879.	1878.	1879.
Number of School Houses—Frame, white, 19; Colored, 13; Log, white, 3; colored, 1	14	14	22	22
Number of Male Teachers (Principals)	7	9	11	10
" Female " "	9	5	14	12
" Female " (Assistants)	1	..	..	..
Total	17	14	25	22
Number of Fenced Lots	..	..	3	3
" Schools having Outbuildings	..	..	3	3
" " " sufficient Black-boards	all	all	all	all
" " " good Furniture	all	all	19	all
" Terms Schools were Open	4	4	4	4
" different Pupils for the year—White..861 Colored..856				1,717

	Colored.		White.	
	1878.	1879.	1878.	1879.
" Pupils in average attendanc	265	269	408	367
" Pupils over Sixteen Years of Age—Not accurately kept, but not above 8 per cent.				
" Visits paid by examiner	128			

Number of Pupils.

	Fall Term.	Winter Term.	Spring Term.	Summer Term
On Roll	1,080	1,466	1,531	1,207
Av. attendance	491	608	813	634

	1878.	1879.
Number of Pupils in 1st Grade December 1	463	406
" " 2d " " 1	215	276
" " 3d " " 1	269	268
" " 4th " " 1	164	203
" " 5th " " 1	85	118
" " 6th " " 1	67	62
" " Above 6th " 1	16	18

" " Book-Keeping 12; Algebra 25; Philosophy 28; Geometry 8; Physiology 12; Latin 6.

CALVERT COUNTY—SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Attendance for the year ending June* 30, 1879.

No. of School.	District.	Name of Teacher.	Fall Term.		Winter Term.		Spring Term.		Summer Term.		No. of different pupils for the year
			On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	
1	1	M. Hawkins	21	10	19	8	30	11	38	24	38
3	1	J. F. Dare	23	11	36	20	37	18	33	16	37
4	1	B. A. Griffiss	18	8	18	10	19	12	18	9	19
5	1	N. M. Gardner	30	16	29	17	25	19	24	15	30
6	1	E. V. Freeland	40	16	43	19	48	28	42	22	48
7	1	H. B Frazier	34	13	42	19	43	26	36	21	43
8	1	M. K. Leason	43	27	46	28	42	24	48	26	48
1	2	D. B. Dalrymple	38	27	45	26	48	20	....	....	48
2	2	E. Y. Kent	21	11	27	13	29	15	20	11	29
3	2	J. W. Talbott	28	10	43	15	45	23	31	15	50
4	2	H. R. Leason	14	6	25	8	30	12	23	10	37
5	2	B. Denton	18	10	20	9	20	12	19	11	20
6	2	Mary Dovell	20	12	21	12	24	18	25	15	31
8	2	M. A. Offutt	39	26	38	22	43	29	41	27	43
1	3	R. C. Billingsley	40	22	42	21	50	28	45	28	45
2	3	F. Gantt	18	10	28	14	28	17	29	11	35
3	3	D E. Willes	31	14	38	15	38	25	35	18	48
4	3	J. A. Leason	22	11	21	8	24	15	27	16	24
5	3	F. T Griffith	39	18	46	18	50	33	47	28	67
6	3	W. J. Weems	46	18	51	20	50	28	51	25	65
7	3	J. W. Taneyhill	18	9	20	10	23	13	23	8	23
8	3	G. W. Hyde	23	10	23	13	26	13	29	13	33
			624	315	721	345	772	439	684	369	861

CALVERT COUNTY—SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Expenses for the year ending September* 30, 1879.

No. of School.	District.	Fuel.	Repairs.	Other Incidental Expenses.	Furniture, Black Boards, Stoves.	Cost of Books.	Teachers' Salaries for the Year.	Receipts from Books.
1	1	$10 00	$....	$	$	$17 10	$ 303 59	$15 93
3	1	9 75	2 50	1 60	....	14 93	381 96	11 58
4	1	10 00	....	1 68	....	.....	297 71	.....
5	1	....	....	6 22	....	30 67	393 00	13 45
6	1	10 00	25 00	1 75	....	10 37	418 00	6 20
7	1	10 00	....	25	....	12 69	423 00	.....
8	1	....	41 35	. ..	..	23 92	432 65	17 96
1	2	7 00	38 00	1 00	....	...	223 09	.....
2	2	10 00	29 00	93	6 00	17 01	335 15	3 91
3	2	10 00	275 00	95	7 81	10 16	385 00	6 32
4	2	10 00	2 50	30	....	.....	328 00	.....
5	2	10 00	4 00	4 70	6 00	.....	312 14	.....
6	2	10 00	....	72	6 00	18	378 00	.....
8	2	10 00	....	3 60	13 36	18	436 00	.....
1	3	10 00	52 00	2 00	2 00	7 13	439 00	1 59
2	3	10 00	8 50	....	....	2 88	350 48	1 04
3	3	10 00	284 00	1 70	....	99	354 53	.....
4	3	10 00	....	25	....	.....	364 41	.....
5	3	10 00	....	80	8 26	36 03	388 00	27 79
6	3	10 00	10 00	6 06	2 72	94	436 00	.....
7	3	10 00	8 00	1 62	....	.....	288 53	. ....
8	3	10 00	55 00	1 95	....	19 88	370 51	4 33
		$196 75	$834 85	$38 08	$52 15	$205 06	$8,038 75	$110 10

CALVERT COUNTY—COLORED SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Attendance for the year ending June* 30, 1879.

No of School.	District.	Name of Teacher.	Fall Term.		Winter Term.		Spring Term		Summer Term.		No. of different pupils for the year.
			On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	
1	1	N. Harris	....	....	49	19	70	38	63	32	63
2	1	H. Jarvis	38	16	41	15	31	17	37	26	41
3	1	C. Henry	78	22	81	26	99	43	76	39	99
3	1	M. Gantt, ass't	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
4	1	E. Mason	20	10	48	24	54	28	40	22	54
5	1	S. Rawlings	16	10	27	10	34	14	33	13	34
6	1	H.F. Gray	46	22	49	17	42	24	46	25	49
1	2	J F. Gantt	32	10	49	13	39	21	43	11	79
2	2	J. Q. Wilson	30	12	68	23	62	27	30	16	82
3	2	V. Dulany	16	12	24	10	31	18	26	14	26
1	3	M. A. Braxton	57	20	60	29	32	16	....	....	66
2	3	Jos. W. Woolford	28	10	72	19	72	28	40	12	82
3	3	W. H. Bales	54	9	64	21	70	44	25	18	64
4	3	M. V. Savoy	21	14	46	20	44	25	26	20	46
5	3	W. S. Lewis	20	9	67	17	79	31	38	17	71
			456	176	745	263	759	374	523	265	856

CALVERT COUNTY—COLORED SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Expenses for Year ending September* 30, 1879.

No. of Schools.	District.	Fuel.	Repairs.	Other Incidental Expenses.	Furniture, Black Boards, Stoves.	Cost of Books.	Teachers' Salaries for the Year.	Receipts from Books.
1	1	$ 2 50	$ 8 22	$ 2 14	$	$12 89	$ 199 00	$12 41
2	1	8 00	....	50	9 00	12 05	232 50	11 51
3	1	8 00	11 45	....	9 71	64	258 59	.....
3	1	....	....	....	....	.....	99 56	.....
4	1	8 00	....	70	....	13 60	234 00	12 94
5	1	4 00	....	....	....	2 98	260 00	23
6	1	2 85	6 25	1 90	....	18 28	260 00	12 14
1	2	8 00	....	1 75	....	9 98	242 07	9 60
2	2	8 00	1 75	68	....	2 60	260 00	80
3	2	8 00	9 00	6 05	7 90	1 58	202 13	.....
1	3	8 00	....	3 07	1 75	.....	190 76	.....
2	3	8 00	....	1 87	....	8 73	260 00	7 18
3	3	8 00	....	2 00	7 71	14 09	260 00	13 80
4	3	8 00	....	....	....	10 94	260 00	10 94
5	3	8 00	....	5 95	....	13 08	257 90	11 05
		$97 35	$36 67	$26 61	$36 07	$121 44	$3,476 51	$102 60

COLORED SCHOOLS—*Receipts and Disbursements for the Year ending September* 30, 1879.

Receipts.		Disbursements.	
Unexpended Balance of previous Appropriation.....	$ 692 27	Paid for Teachers' Salaries.	$3,476 51
Amount received from State Treasurer..... ...	3,489 30	Incidental Expenses	26 61
Amount received from County School Board....	167 41	Fuel.....	97 35
Tongers License.....	363 85	Books and Stationery.... .	121 44
Receipts from Books.....	102 60	Repairing Furniture and Stoves.....	72 74
		Pro Rata Examiner's Salary	256 65
		" Commissioners per diem.....	63 18
		" Office Expenses..	27 66
		Balance Cash on hand.....	673 29
	$4,815 43		$4,815 43

CALVERT COUNTY.—*Statement of Receipts and Disbursements for Public School Purposes, for the Year ending September* 30, 1879.

RECEIPTS.

Balance on hand, September 30, 1878		$ 561 07
State School Tax		4,983 59
State Free School Fund		1,070 72
State Donations		1,200 00
County School Tax at 12 cents on the $100		2,933 60
Amount of Levy	$ 2,578 58	
Sales of Books		212 70
State Appropriation to Colored Schools		3,489 30
Tongers' Licenses		744 80
		$15,195 78

DISBURSEMENTS.

Teachers' Salaries	$ 8,038 75	
Fuel	196 75	
Incidental Expenses of Schools	38 08	
Rent	15 00	
Books and Stationery	205 06	
Repairing School Houses	834 85	
Furniture, Black Boards and Stoves	52 15	
Salary of Secretary, Treasurer and Examiner	700 00	
Per Diem of School Commissioners	300 00	
Office Expenses and Account Books	71 13	
Printing and Advertising	32 75	
Paid to Colored Schools	3,794 65	
Fuel former year	8 44	
Traveling Expenses of Examiner	15 00	
Balance Cash on Hand	893 17	
		$15,195 78

LIBRARY, UNIVERSITY OF MARYLAND

CAROLINE COUNTY.

Prof. M. A. Newell,

Dear Sir: I will only occupy by remarks a small space in your annual report. I can say our schools are doing well. There is marked improvement in teaching power, and the pupils afford evidence that they are gainers thereby. A large majority of the teachers now in our schools, and many of them most efficient workers, have been taught and fitted in the matter of scholarship in the public schools of the county.

The County Commissioners have made us a larger levy than that of last year, giving us $6,450; with this sum, though still insufficient, the Board hopes to keep the schools open three terms.

Owing to sickness of the Examiner last fall and winter, but few visits were paid the schools. This is a great injury done to the schools, and none regret it more than the Examiner himself. His health has much improved, and he hopes to visit the school regularly.

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE F. BEAVEN.

CAROLINE COUNTY—SUMMARY OF SCHOOL STATISTICS

For Year Ending September 30, 1879.

	1879.	1878.
Number of School Houses—Frame 63	63	61
" " Male Teachers, (Principals)	32	30
" " Female " "	36	36
" " Male " (Assistants)	..	..
" " Female " "	2	2
Total	70	68
Number of Fenced Lots	4	4
" " Schools having Out-buildings	20	17
" " " " sufficient Black-boards	50	45
" " " " good Furniture	45	40
" " Terms Schools were open	2 6-11	3
" " different Pupils for the year	3,141	3,374
" " Pupils in average attendance	1,529	1,223

Number of Pupils.

	Fall Term.	Winter Term.	Spring Term.	Summer Term.
On Roll	2,073.	2,638.	1,366	....
Average attendance	1,245.	1,607.	1,042.	....

	1879.	1878.
Number of Pupils in 1st Grade December 1	627	449
" " " 2d " " 1	510	427
" " " 3d " " 1	395	367
" " " 4th " " 1	313	355
" " " 5th " " 1	225	292
" " " 6th " " 1	135	234
" " " above 6th " 1	95	70

" " " Book-keeping, 12; Algebra, 62; Philosophy, 86; Geometry, 72; Physiology, 93; Latin, 22.

School Houses Built or Enlarged During the Year.

No. of Schools.	District.	Brick or Frame	Cost.	Length.	Width.	Height.	Square Feet of Black-Board.	Out-Buildings Yes or No.	Fences. Yes or No.	Cost of Furniture.
17	3	Frame	$325 00	24	18	9	40	Yes.	No.	$25 00
19	4	"	370 00	24	18	9	36	Yes.	No.	37 67
3	5	"	360 00	24	18	9	36	Yes.	No.	22 00

CAROLINE COUNTY—SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Attendance for the year ending June* 30, 1879.

No. of School.	District.	Name of Teacher.	Fall Term.		Winter Term.		Spring Term.		Summer Term.		No. of different pupils for the Year.
			On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	
1	1	Miss Dora Powell	38	26	37	27	32	28	....	....	53
2	1	Miss M. M. Busteed	45	24	46	30	30	20	...	....	59
3	1	W. T. Jarman	15	9	12	7	9	6	....	....	27
4	1	Miss Emma Comegys	35	21	50	31	33	26	....	....	60
1	2	J. W. Gibson	30	15	46	18	28	17	....	....	52
2	2	Miss Emma G. Dixon	22	13	30	18	18	15	....	....	34
3	2	Richard Baggs	26	9	45	19	23	15	....	....	52
4	2	James E. Carroll	35	30	30	24	26	22	....	....	40
5	2	Miss L. M. Carter	68	47	61	40	55	47	...	....	73
6	2	William Straughn	35	25	34	27	22	20	....	....	44
7	2	C. Comegys	22	14	48	19	20	15	...	....	50
8	2	E. J. Brindle and L. M.	47	27	50	32	28	20	....	....	54
1	3	J. Kent Dukes and Assistant	70	55	71	60	86	76	....	....	115
2	3	Miss S. A. Cade	28	18	27	17	16	14	....	....	33
3	3	Miss Fannie A. Jump	31	17	31	17	28	17	....	...	41
4	3	Miss J. Downes	28	15	41	23	25	15	....	....	51
5	3	F. A. Hendrix	34	15	31	14	17	10	....	....	42
6	3	C. E. Turner	36	18	45	25	36	24	....	....	55
7	3	T. C. West	32	24	34	25	29	21	....	....	35
8	3	Miss R. B. Satterthwaite	40	32	47	28	37	30	....	....	52
9	3	Thomas J. Roe	32	15	46	28	27	19	....	....	47
10	3	J. R. Lee	51	25	62	34	38	24	....	....	73
11	3	Miss A. R. Stewart	41	20	46	22	25	15	....	....	54
12	3	Miss Georgia Roop	33	13	38	25	37	25	....	....	46

13	3	Mrs. H. L. N. Purte	40	30	51	40	38	30	....	....	53
14	3	Miss A. E. Smith	17	9	24	16	17	13	....	....	27
15	3	H. H. Cannon	17	8	22	14	15	11	....	....	27
16	3	Miss Wright and Mrs. Brydes	29	18	28	19	15	10	....	....	29
17	3	F. Fountain	40	26	30	20	....	....	....	....	44
1	4	Miss L. E. Wright	33	17	39	24	29	20	....	....	45
2	4	Miss G. G. Stafford	31	20	37	27	29	20	....	...	40
3	4	Miss E. Willoughby	58	44	55	42	52	44	....	....	63
4	4	M. D. Learned	34	28	50	39	37	31	....	....	57
5	4	Mrs. E. Stebbins	36	21	48	32	33	22	....	....	67
6	4	Mrs. S. A. Collins	29	19	39	24	26	20	....	....	42
7	4	J. T. Blades	60	35	66	39	43	36	...	....	78
8	4	J. F. Sisk	30	19	26	19	17	17	....	....	40
9	4	A. S. Mowbray	35	17	50	29	37	25	....	....	64
10	4	R. W. Wilson and C. W. Byrn	20	12	29	15	22	16	....	....	31
11	4	Miss M. L. Harrison	....	....	28	22	23	20	....	....	30
1	5	Miss S. L. Meloney	30	20	47	29	22	17	....	....	52
2	5	S. B. Mowbray and M. Kenny	20	14	25	16	15	12	....	....	30
3	5	Miss M. A. Cox	35	20	43	28	32	21	....	....	50
4	5	Miss M. E. Davis	34	17	43	27	29	17	....	....	49
5	5	T. J. Sisk	33	21	30	19	22	22	....	....	40
6	5	Miss A. W. Gordon	48	33	43	35	42	36	....	....	50
7	5	M. F. Corkran	29	17	39	26	27	25	....	....	43
8	5	F. H. Cohee	18	16	29	18	19	16	....	....	32
			1,630	1,068	1,929	1,229	1,366	1,042	....	....	2,325

CAROLINE COUNTY—SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Expenses for year ending September* 30, 1879.

No. of School.	District.	Fuel.	Repairs.	Other Incidental Expenses.	Furniture, Black Boards, Stoves.	Cost of Books.	Teachers' Salaries for the Year.	Receipts from Books.
1	1	$24 00	$	2 35	$.....	$.....	$126 42	$12 70
2	1	15 00	....	2 95	.....	.....	165 45	2 50
3	1	14 13	....	2 62	.....	.....	165 45	2 25
4	1	11 00	50	1 96	11 75	.....	161 55	8 15
1	2	10 00	5 50	3 50	.....	.....	165 46	2 00
2	2	12 65	....	2 01	.....	.....	165 00	....
3	2	6 00	....	2 25	.....	.....	166 45	4 95
4	2	35 57	....	5 70	.....	.....	299 25	....
5	2	11 30	....	1 18	.....	.....	165 45	45
6	2	13 75	....	2 30	.....	.....	166 41	...
7	2	18 00	....	1 65	2 25	.....	166 45	4 25
8	2	6 19	....	3 15	14 00	.....	161 63	....
1	3	36 56	...	5 50	306 06	15 09	460 92	17 96
2	3	13 56	3 00	61	.....	.....	165 45	....
3	3	6 00	....	3 07	.....	.....	166 45	....
4	3	6 87	30	2 50	....	.....	166 75	7 15
5	3	10 15	....	3 83	.....	.....	162 10	4 35
6	3	12 75	....	31	3 00	.....	165 46	....
7	3	15 17	6 87	10 05	.....	2 50	295 45	16 50
8	3	....	....	2 88	.....	2 50	165 45	17 10
9	3	6 00	....	....	.....	.....	165 40	1 65
10	3	12 50	2 10	10	2 20	1 20	165 45	11 90
11	3	9 87	....	1 01	.....	.....	165 45	....
12	3	7 13	...	55	4 50	3 70	165 45	8 90
13	3	16 00	70	4 55	.....	1 60	234 07	21 05
14	3	7 00	....	1 98	11 50	.....	165 50	7 00
15	3	7 50	....	53	.....	.....	165 45	3 35
16	3	14 00	....	37	.....	.....	165 45	1 45
17	3	12 00	....	4 79	9 93	.....	95 45	7 60
1	4	13 50	2 25	4 32	53 15	1 60	165 45	2 11
2	4	21 50	...	4 59	.....	75	165 45	30
3	4	16 75	6 00	5 50	4 00	3 50	165 45	4 90
4	4	27 25	23 90	7 26	37 80	9 40	295 44	2 10
5	4	10 50	5 00	5 02	6 00	2 75	165 45	4 10
6	4	10 50	3 00	4 60	4 45	3 95	165 45	3 33
7	4	10 75	64 89	9 12	3 50	2 20	165 45	3 70
8	4	11 45	1 32	3 80	11 25	1 10	165 45	1 50
9	4	10 00	1 00	5 40	5 30	3 10	165 45	4 35
10	4	10 50	....	1 05	.....	.....	165 45	4 05
11	4	8 25	...	2 95	14 21	2 25	95 45	....
1	5	8 00	....	3 91	4 00	4 30	165 45	50
2	5	13 50	2 25	4 70	2 40	3 00	165 45	4 70
3	5	14 38	1 15	10 35	37 79	3 55	165 45	....
4	5	4 00	....	7 06	.....	2 50	165 45	...
5	5	14 70	....	7 45	3 10	4 30	165 45	2 8
6	5	10 38	....	4 88	.....	3 45	236 40	....
7	5	9 63	2 70	3 15	2 75	1 40	165 45	3 70
8	5	10 00	1 50	3 98	1 65	4 00	165 00	....
		$606 19	$128 93	$173 34	$556 54	$83 69	$8,584 71	$205 40

CAROLINE COUNTY—COLORED SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Attendance for the year ending April* 18, 1879.

No. of School.	District.	Name of Teacher.	Fall Term.		Winter Term.		Spring Term.		Summer Term.		No. of different pupils for the Year.
			On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	
1	1	Mr. A. L. Hughes	21	12	47	25	....	....	....	....	55
2	1	Mr. H. Harris	40	20	81	33	....	....	....	....	90
1	2	Mr. W. Frazier	43	24	80	42	....	....	....	....	93
2	2	Mr. W. Brown	20	8	35	17	....	....	....	....	41
1	3	Mr. D. L. Lyons	24	16	64	39	....	....	....	....	71
2	3	Miss H. Riggs	26	17	39	18	....	....	....	....	40
3	3	Miss M. A Saunders	19	8	41	21	....	....	....	....	44
4	3	Miss A. Jay	49	28	72	46	....	....	....	....	80
1	4	Mr. W. E. Adams	26	14	23	8	....	....	....	....	31
2	4	Miss R. Holland	32	12	57	23	....	....	....	....	61
3	4	Mr. G W. Milford	27	16	47	33	....	....	....	....	52
4	4	Miss M. E. Williams	43	21	26	13	....	....	....	....	45
1	5	Miss R. Armstead	34	22	36	25	....	....	....	....	40
2	5	Mr. C. A. Twiford	10	5	18	14	....	....	....	....	23
3	5	Miss S. A. Jason	29	14	43	21	....	....	....	....	50
			443	237	709	378					816

CAROLINE COUNTY—COLORED SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Expenses for year ending September* 30, 1879.

No. of School.	District.	Rent.	Fuel.	Repairs.	Other Incidental Expenses.	Furniture, Black Boards, Stoves.	Cost of Books.	Teachers' Salaries for the year.
1	1	$....	$8 00	$21 97	$ 12	$.....	$.....	$114 55
2	1	....	10 00	9 30	....	.....	.....	114 54
1	2	....	11 00	....	...	....	.....	73 63
2	2	4 85	3 75	....	25	.....	.....	114 54
1	3	....	7 50	1 45	1 90	.....	.....	114 58
2	3	5 00	11 90	...	....	.....	.....	109 08
3	3	5 00	4 40	....	....	.....	.....	119 53
4	3	....	7 68	1 99	....	.....	.....	95 54
1	4	....	8 00	....	2 95	1 57	1 40	77 25
2	4	....	5 82	2 00	1 90	2 25	4 65	80 78
3	4	....	9 00	4 85	3 80	2 30	2 25	101 65
4	4	...	8 75	2 00	1 67	4 05	3 05	79 52
1	5	....	9 75	3 00	1 80	11 74	3 80	114 52
2	5	....	5 00	....	3 55	2 00	2 45	40 89
3	5	....	8 00	....	1 75	2 05	.....	61 25
		$14 85	$118 55	$46 56	$19 69	$25 96	$17 60	$1,411 85

COLORED SCHOOLS—*Receipts and Disbursements for the year ending September* 30, 1879.

RECEIPTS.

Unexpended balance of previous appropriation	$ 346 74
Amount received from State Treasurer	2,304 20
Sale of books	5 30
	$2,656 24

DISBURSEMENTS.

Paid for Teachers' salaries	$1,411 56	
Incidental expenses	19 69	
Rent	14 85	
Fuel	118 55	
Repairs	46 56	
Furniture	25 96	
Building	220 00	
Balance cash on hand	799 07	
		$2,656 24

CAROLINE COUNTY.—*Statement of Receipts and Disbursements for Public School Purposes, for the Year ending September* 30, 1879.

RECEIPTS.

Balance on hand, September 30, 1878		$ 143 16
State School Tax		5,850 12
State Free School Fund		1,547 48
State Donations		1,200 00
County School Tax at .. cents on the $100		5,000 00
Amount of levy	$5,000.00.	
Interest on investments		511 73
Sales of books		210 70
State appropriation to colored schools		2,304 20
County levy due 1878		1,605 40
		$18,372 79

DISBURSEMENTS.

Teachers' Salaries	$ 8,584 71	
Fuel	606 19	
Incidental Expenses of Schools	173 31	
Books and Stationery	1,550 72	
Building School Houses	1,823 73	
Repairing " "	128 93	
Furniture, Black Boards and Stoves	556 73	
Interest	170 17	
Salary of Secretary, Treasurer and Examiner	600 00	
Per Diem of School Commissioners	178 80	
Printing and Advertising	92 50	
Paid to Colored Schools	1,857 17	
Templeville Joint School	209 85	
Error in settlement with Collector J. L. Payne	100 00	
Sites for school houses	20 00	
Expense for condemnation of lot for school house	66 00	
Freight	15 22	
Expenses in attending meeting of school officers	24 25	
Payment of note	1,524 75	
Balance Cash on hand	89 76	
		$18,372 79

CARROLL COUNTY.

WILLIAM REESE, *President.* JOSEPH M. NEWSON, *Secretary, &c.*

PROF. M. A. NEWELL: The Annual Report of the Public Schools for Carroll County for the year ending September 30th, 1879, is herewith respectfully submitted.

The conclusions, suggestions, and opinions of our School Board on the public school system, as administered in Carroll County and in the State generally, instead of having undergone any important changes, have been strengthened and confirmed; and for these, we respectfully refer you to our previous annual reports.

If, instead of trying to make radical alterations in the school law, our legislators will content themselves with making only such slight amendments as will render each department more efficient, they will leave the schools of the State in the best possible condition for future progress in improvement. Under present provisions, crowned with our admirably conducted State Normal School, of which all enlightened and unprejudiced Maryland educators are justly so proud, and which is annually sending out so many thoroughly trained and accomplished professional teachers, we are rapidly moving on to the highest degree of success; and, if the present law, instead of being changed in any of its salutary provisions, shall be continued with no amendments whatever, or with only such as experience has shown will facilitate its better execution in a few of its details, such as the supply of the best text-books uniformly, the retention of the services of only efficient men and women, elevating and preserving them as PROFESSIONAL teachers, Maryland will soon stand in the very front rank in the superiority of her schools and in the intelligence of her sons and daughters.

Our "summary of school statistics" gives the number of school-houses in use, a few of which are "rented;" and, as the *graded schools* are provided with separate rooms for each grade, mostly in the same house, the number given for the houses does not exactly correspond with that given for the schools.

Teachers sometimes change or withdraw from service, so that our table does not show the exact number of persons that have been employed as teachers during the year; nor does it exactly show the number of professional public school teachers in the county. Several of our ablest teachers have failed to secure engagements, because, in some instances, the school trustees, in the exercise of their legal prerogatives, have dismissed their teachers at the last moment and employed other persons, who stand ever ready to take advantage of occasions of this kind.

Assistant teachers, generally employed only for short periods, are not numerous, nor are their names and sexes always reported, settlements for their services being sometimes made for both with the principal teachers.

The above items, together with the number of "fenced lots, out-buildings," &c., are only a near approximation to exactness, because lots may be reported "fenced" and to have "out-buildings," &c., at one part of the year and be found to be without them at another, to be rebuilt or destroyed, perhaps the following year.

The blanks sent to us for the annual report contain no columns for the separate insertion of the male and the female pupils in each separate school. We have, therefore, omitted them in the "summary of school statistics," and in their place, to make up the item of "different pupils for the year," we have inserted the *white* and the *colored* pupils separately.

Many teachers, using blanks of older dates, have so imperfectly reported their "pupils over sixteen years of age" that we have not inserted them in this report, leaving the space for that purpose blank.

That part of the tabular statement presenting the "school-houses built or enlarged" may not be exactly correct in every particular. We show the exact sums paid for each house indicated; but, as part-payments were made for some of them last year and full payments for others not yet quite finished, will be

made hereafter, the statement does not show the exact whole cost of each house; but it shows only what money has been paid *this year* for each; and so with the furniture, there being much more of the latter in the schools than has been purchased this year.

In that part of the table showing the receipts into the treasury, you may notice that the balance in bank and the sum remaining in the hands of the secretary at the close of last year, are thrown together, making the sum of $5,471.69, as presented in the statement; and that the sums of State School Tax and State Free School Fund together, make the sum of $16,583.26, which, with the State appropriation to *colored schools*, $1,166.48, is all that we have received from the State Treasury for the year ending September 30th, 1879.

In the column of disbursements you will see that the sums paid for salaries to white and to colored teachers are presented separately. Each of the sums paid for rent, repairing, incidental expenses, furniture, &c., consists of several items thrown together, a part having been paid with the salaries of the teachers, as is shown in the table of school statistics, and a part presented and paid in this office, on bills not connected with the teachers' reports. The sums paid for per diem, for assistant secretary's salary and counsel fee, and for colored schools, are, in like manner, made up of several items.

Having on hand a sufficient sum for the purpose near the close of the year, it was resolved that $2,688.40, a balance of old indebtedness contracted by a former Board, should be paid off, which was accordingly paid, leaving the Carroll County School Board entirely out of debt.

A former Treasurer of the School Board, previous to the enactment of the present law, claimed as assets the sum of $7,150 as stock in the Farmers' Bank of Maryland; but as appears in the Comptroller's report, this sum is also claimed by the State Treasurer as stock held, not in the Farmers' Bank of Maryland, but in the Central Bank of Frederick. If that bank stock then stood to the credit of the Carroll County School Board in either of the banks named, it must still stand there, of which, however, we have in this office no other evidence than the late Treasurer's entry in a book presenting his assets when turned over to his successor, and an item in the Comptroller's report, wherein this

$7,150 is claimed as stock held for the use of the State School Fund. If, then, it be held for the use of the State School Fund, it can scarcely at the same time be considered an item of the *County* School Fund available to the County School Commissioners. If, during our service we have ever received any benefit from this stock in dividends or otherwise, it must have imperceptibly come to us through the distributions from the State Treasury, of which we have never been informed.

In addition to this bank stock of $7,150, there still exists due to this Board, uncollected, the sum of about $3,873.62, as is shown in the table at the foot of the page showing the annual receipts, embraced in the items of ground rents, R. R. scrip, and balances due on judgments held against various parties, to which, if this bank stock be added, the old County School Fund will be represented by the sum of $11,023.62.

In the columns headed "value of school property" and "cost of books" we have made no entries opposite each school in the tabular abstract of the teachers' reports, because our knowledge of the former cannot be relied on to enable us to speak with confidence, no correct authoritative estimates having been made of the value of the older houses; nor have we given the "cost of books" in connection with each particular school, because, as some of the pupils in certain districts buy their own supplies, and, as many of the county books, &c., previously in the schools are still in use, we have no certain means of knowing their cost originally, nor their present value in each school. We have, therefore, contented ourselves by giving in the column of disbursements the whole cost of the text-books, stationery, &c., provided for the schools during the year; and from the receipts for the use of books as collected from the teachers' reports, we have transferred the sum thus received to our column of receipts in general. Comparing these sums, the one on the Dr. and the other on the Cr. side of the account, and substracting, we find that our receipts from books exceed their cost by the sum of $448.84, which, we think, in a county of over a hundred schools is very close economy.

WILLIAM REESE, *President.*

J. M. NEWSON, *Secretary, &c.*

CARROLL COUNTY.—SUMMARY OF SCHOOL STATISTICS

For the Year ending June 30, 1879.

	1879.	1878.
Number of School Houses, (4 of which were rented).....	108	102
" " —Frame, 35; Brick, 56; Log, 12; Stone, 11.....	114	112
Number of Male Teachers (Principals).....	75	80
" Female " "	46	47
" Male " (Assistants).....	2	2
" Female " "	1	5
Total.....	124	134
Number of Fenced Lots.....	10	10
" Schools having Out buildings.....	100	100
" " having sufficient Black-boards.....	100	90
" " having good Furniture.....	110	104
" Terms Schools were Open—(21 reported a Summer Term).....	3	3
" Different Pupils for the Year—White..... 6,100 Colored.... 232	6,332	6,247
" Pupils in average attendance.	3,497	3,474
" Official School Visits paid by Examiner—(25 not heretofore reported)..... ...	232	173

Number of Pupils.

	Fall Term.	Winter Term.	Spring Term.	Summer Term.
On roll.....	4,374	5,865	5,370	583
Average attendance.	2,917	3,913	3,662	477

	1879.	1878.
Number of Pupils in 1st Grade December 1.....	1,177	1,167
" " 2nd " " 1.....	950	849
" " 3rd " " 1.....	1,238	1,212
" " 4th " " 1.....	1,253	1,209
" " 5th " " 1.....	889	857
" " 6th " " 1.....	450	412
" " above 6th " 1.....	385	103

" " Book-keeping, 44; Algebra, 93; Philosophy, 162; Drawing, 40; Geometry, 25; Physiology, 94; Music, 37; Botany

SCHOOL HOUSES BUILT OR ENLARGED DURING THE YEAR.

No. of Schools.	District.	Brick or Frame.	Cost.	Length	Width.	Height.	Square feet of Blackboard.	Out buildings, Yes or No.	Fences, Yes or No.	Cost of Furniture
9, 10	7	Brick, 2 rooms.	$1,044 45	40	30	12	169	Yes	No.	$106 29
10	8	Stone.	*320 38	‡	..	..	27	No.	No	116 45
2	8	Brick, 2 rooms.	*400 00	‡	..	..	..	...	...	116 45
5	2	Brick addition, 2 rooms.	294 47	56	27	10	116	Yes	No.	111 25
7	11	Brick.	555 00	30	22	12	80	Yes.	No.	103 40
1, 2, 3, 4	6	Brick, 4 rooms.	3,150 00	75	44	14	160	Yes	No.	109 50
3	12	Brick addition, 2 rooms.	*176 46	60	28	12	150	Yes	No.	90 00
1	11		†62 35							
			$6,003 11							$753 34
Furniture to the amount of $64.41 went to schools not here mentioned										64 41
										$817 75

*In part. † Old debt against the house. ‡ Not reported.

CARROLL COUNTY—SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Attendance for the year ending July* 31, 1879.

No. of School.	District.	Name of Teacher.	Fall Term.		Winter Term.		Spring Term.		Summer Term.		No. of different pupils for the year.
			On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	
1	1	Henry C. Wilt	40	19	46	22	40	27	....	....	49
2	1	J. Albert Angell	47	25	53	26	38	16	....	....	55
3	1	A. F. Galt	39	22	57	34	56	25	....	....	57
4	1	J. H. Lambert	40	26	52	37	49	34	....	....	52
5	1	George W. Hess	36	16	52	33	46	22	....	....	52
6	1	Levi D. Reid, No. 1, (graded)	47	32	66	48	66	54	28	25	66
7	1	Mrs Emma L. Forrest, No. 2, (graded)	66	43	58	40	51	40	....	...	66
8	1	John T. Reck	52	30	67	41	59	37	....	....	67
9	1	Miss Sue Longley	21	14	45	27	35	16	....	....	45
10	1	Charles A. Waesche	20	14	30	18	29	19	....	...	30
1	10	William J. Crabbs	43	26	43	29	40	28	....	....	48
2	10	Mrs. H. Lee England	47	35	55	35	47	35	19	17	60
3	10	Miss Joan Mehring	59	39	67	47	60	37	....	....	67
4	10	William Clifford Krise	22	14	36	25	35	26	....	....	36
5	10	Charles F. Reindollar	47	35	70	49	61	37	30	24	88
6	10	Miss Jane Pearson	....	....	28	27	32	27	...	....	32
1	3	H. L. Motter	41	19	55	37	49	30	....	....	55
2	3	John Burgoon and Assistant	54	30	82	56	78	57	....	....	82
3	3	Miss Laura G. Lambert	27	15	40	26	38	24	...	....	40
4	3	Jacob H. Stonesifer	30	9	39	20	39	23	....	....	39
5	3	Obadiah S. Harner	18	15	31	22	31	24	....	....	31
6	3	John N. Mark	37	19	50	30	47	34	....	....	50
7	3	Miss S. Janett Dutrer	47	27	60	36	55	36	...	....	60
8	3	William U. Marker	49	28	69	44	64	42	....	....	69

9	3	Noah H Kester	33	20	58	41	54	35	....	...	58
10	3	Richard Dell	37	25	48	32	43	28	...	...	48
11	3	Addison S. Morelock	23	14	33	21	35	23	....	....	36
1	2	Jacob H. Christ, No. 1, (graded) Miss C. Belle Poole, Summer Term (graded)	44	36	57	46	46	37	23	17	80
2	2	Miss Ella Beam, No. 2, (graded)	46	32	46	31	36	27	15	13	51
3	2	H. P. Engler and Assistant	44	34	64	55	57	43	....	....	64
4	2	S P. Weaver	39	30	47	32	42	32	....	....	47
5	2	Thomas Tipton	64	53	80	69	72	60	42	37	95
6	2	George Flagle	32	22	42	29	42	32	....	....	42
7	2	J. Ross Galt	45	23	64	39	58	34	....	....	64
8	2	A. H. Diffenbaugh	29	25	40	30	35	28	....	....	40
9	2	James F. Fringer	21	13	41	26	41	25	....	...	41
1	11	J. W. Slaughenhaupt, No. 1, (graded)	29	21	45	34	40	28	....	...	45
2	11	Miss Annie R. Yingling, No 2, (graded)	55	23	49	38	44	38	21	18	70
3	11	Miss Lizzie Yingling	33	27	39	30	33	28	23	18	48
4	11	E E. Lovell	44	31	55	37	49	30	....	....	57
5	11	Theo. H. Adams	32	28	44	35	38	28	....	....	44
6	11	George Batson	44	32	46	30	41	24	...	....	48
7	11	Miss Zerean Duvall	40	35	44	34	44	33	25	20	54
1	12	Jesse F. Bellmyer; Mrs. Sarah Norris, Summer Term	44	27	46	33	33	22	17	16	68
2	12	Miss Marion R Lord, No. 1, (graded)	55	31	53	42	50	40	....	....	53
3	12	Miss Lizzie Witman, Mrs. Wolfe, No. 2, (graded)	40	29	38	27	36	30	....	....	44
4	12	Miss Laura J Hooker, Mrs. Emma Owens and Miss Helen V. Lane	32	22	27	15	46	36	....	.. .	47
1	4	C. H. Spurrier	36	28	45	40	44	50	...	....	45
2	4	John W. Abbott	37	28	58	45	60	46	....	....	60
3	4	Jabez A Bush	32	23	56	38	51	34	....	....	56
4	4	Miss Willie Cox	30	22	42	27	27	19	....	...	42
5	4	D L. Farrar, No. 1, (graded)	19	14	42	30	49	30	..	....	42
6	4	Miss Mary E. Johnson, No. 2, (graded)	39	25	33	28	29	22	....	....	33
7	4	Miss Cecilia E. Gorsuch	24	18	46	30	52	25	...	...	52
8	4	Charles W. Motter	26	20	40	25	35	28	....	....	40
9	4	Grove J. Shipley	15	7	43	23	40	27	..	....	43

CARROLL COUNTY—SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Attendance for year ending July* 31, 1879.

No. of School	District.	Name of Teacher.	Fall Term.		Winter Term.		Spring Term.		Summer Term.		No. of different pupils for the year.
			On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	
10	4	John C Nutting	31	18	52	40	51	42	....	....	52
11	4	Mrs. Frances L. Moores	48	37	59	48	47	35	....	...	59
12	4	Rev. John George Haefner (German school)	30	15	39	31	39	27	....	...	39
1	8	E S. Martin	24	12	49	28	45	23	....	....	49
2	8	Miss A. E. Foltz & Miss Sadie Myers, Ass't	68	42	89	57	82	50	....	....	89
3	8	McKendree P. Ebaugh	40	21	65	38	56	31	....	....	65
4	8	Joel Ebaugh, No. 1 (graded)	29	21	53	38	46	33	....	....	53
5	8	Miss L. E. Gettier & J. M. Drach, No. 2, "	35	24	43	28	37	21	....	...	43
6	8	Daniel Ebaugh	32	23	62	43	53	39	....	....	62
7	8	Miss Belle M. Drach	20	18	29	20	28	19	19	13	29
8	8	J. Thomas Green	27	17	42	25	40	27	....	....	42
9	8	Miss Helen LaMotte, D. H. M. Drach and Miss Sadie Myers	17	13	29	19	21	17	13	12	33
1	5	Miss Lizzie A. Bennett	16	12	19	14	16	11	....	....	19
2	5	Charles L. Hughes	19	12	24	16	19	9	....	....	24
3	5	J. K. Kearney	20	11	35	17	31	16	....	....	35
4	5	Miss Isabel N. Hale	47	32	51	29	47	33	....	...	52
5	5	Samuel S. Spalding	23	16	32	19	23	15	9	8	37
6	5	Miss Sue M Matthews	36	22	34	17	34	22	.. .	....	40
7	5	Miss Ettie Shipley	36	19	57	33	47	26	....	....	57
8	5	Lewis A. Koontz	31	21	45	30	41	30	....	....	47
9	5	Joshua Leatherwood	32	17	48	25	50	34	....	....	50
10	5	William Leatherwood	48	26	41	25	53	31	....	....	60
11	5	Miss Araminta Shipley	25	19	33	18	34	22	28	25	47

1	9	Miss Emma London	34	30	46	31	45	35	....	....	46
2	9	Miss Sallie N. Waters	24	16	29	15	29	21	....	...	29
3	9	Miss Fannie V. Davis	39	25	53	24	41	29	....	....	58
4	9	A. P. Albaugh	43	34	52	35	50	35	....	...	58
5	9	A. W. Buckingham; Jacob Farver, Summer Term	46	31	54	33	45	30	16	12	56
6	9	A. Zimmerman	15	9	26	17	25	15	....	....	27
7	9	San. S. Roberts	20	15	25	16	19	15	....	....	25
8	9	W. A. Abbott	36	23	55	25	44	22	....	....	57
1	6	Jacob Dehoff, Gram. School, No. 1, (graded) Miss Anna M. Buckingham, Grammar School, No. 1 (graded)	22	16	37	27	32	22	23	17	60
2	6	J. P. Baltozer, Primary No. 1 "	38	25	50	35	48	34	23	18	61
3	6	F. A. Diffenbach, " 2 "	46	31	53	34	55	33	....	....	55
4	6	Miss Emma V. Shower " 3 "	39	36	34	28	30	24	....	....	39
5	6	Joshua H. L. Boyer and Assistant	56	31	84	50	73	40	....	....	84
6	6	Miss Dora A. Nichols	36	27	60	36	47	28	....	....	60
7	6	V. B. Wentz	50	34	76	48	72	47	....	....	76
8	6	Noah Peterman	25	17	40	27	40	26	....	....	41
9	6	John R. Streviz	38	22	46	34	46	32	....	....	46
10	6	Miss Anna M. Buckingham	44	25	49	34	49	31	....	....	53
11	6	G. T Palmer	32	19	56	33	53	35	....	....	56
12	6	Milton F. Ebaugh	29	16	46	31	46	29	....	....	46
13	6	Joseph A. Abbott	45	29	62	41	58	39	....	....	62
14	6	G. W. J. Everhart	23	15	39	28	33	23	....	....	39
15	6	Miss Mettie Miller	27	19	31	21	31	18	....	....	32
16	6	Miss Emma Lorrenger	29	20	38	26	34	22	....	....	38
1	7	Isaac Wright, Gram. School No. 1 (All graded together)	31	26	35	28	40	30	....	....	40
2	7	Miss Lizzie J. Matthews, Prim. No. 1 (All graded together)	30	25	29	24	29	24	68	49	90
3	7	Miss Belle M. Matthews, " 2 (All graded together)	33	27	37	30	34	25	....	....	41
4	7	Miss Josephine Beaver, " 3 (All graded together)	35	30	35	25	32	28	....	....	37
5	7	Miss Maria Pearson, " 4 (All graded together)	45	38	42	31	33	27	....	....	45
6	7	Chas. H. Baughman, Prim. No. 1. (Grad'd before going.)	36	31	46	36	42	36	....	....	46
7	7	Miss M. W. Beaver, " 2. (Grad'd before going.)	38	30	40	32	38	32	47	37	49
8	7	Miss Laura K. Matthews, " 3. (Grad'd before going.)	49	40	46	33	45	32	38	32	59
9	7	Miss Laura S Poole, Primary No. 1 (graded)	45	30	50	27	31	24	30	27	79

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No. of School.	District.	Name of Teacher.	Fall Term.		Winter Term.		Spring Term.		Summer Term.		No. of different pupils for the year
			On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	
10	7	Miss C. Belle Poole, Primary No. 2, (graded)	....	....	28	20	38	28	....	....	38
11	7	Miss Ella B. Byers	30	24	38	30	28	22	....	....	38
12	7	Miss Lizzie Stocksdale	29	16	36	24	35	23	....	....	37
13	7	George W. Sullivan	44	31	46	30	37	29	....	....	48
14	7	Daniel L. McSwiney	31	19	46	33	43	35	26	22	54
15	7	Miss Laura A Everhart	31	28	41	33	29	22	...	...	41
16	7	A. W. Wright, Frank W. Shriver	40	23	68	43	61	41	....	...	68
17	7	H. B. Burgoon	37	21	50	32	46	31	....	....	50
			4,237	2,842	5,646	3,799	5,164	3,539	583	477	6,100

CARROLL COUNTY—SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Expenses for year ending September* 30, 1879.

No. of School.	District.	Rent.	Fuel.	Repairs.	Other Incidental Expenses.	Furniture, Black Boards, Stoves.	Teachers' Salaries for the year.	Receipts from Books.
1	1	$....	$19 15	$1 93	$ 45	$....	$285 00	$ 56
2	1	....	15 00	30	....	...	225 00	.....
3	1	....	24 50	99	3 42	....	285 00	.....
4	1	....	16 54	1 41	4 89	....	255 00	.....
5	1	....	13 86	....	2 25	....	255 00	.....
6	1	...	18 11	65	9 45	....	255 00	5 25
7	1	....	17 61	6 90	6 73	....	255 00	25
8	1	....	13 47	62	3 41	...	285 00	2 61
9	1	....	21 08	1 00	3 70	72	195 00	5 75
10	1	....	17 00	....	1 75	...	255 00	7 50
1	10	....	16 55	3 90	3 50	16 00	285 00	36 57
2	10	....	17 75	2 90	3 91	....	295 00	57 97
3	10	....	16 27	....	10 02	....	285 00	57 83
4	10	....	18 75	....	30	60	225 00	32 31
5	10	...	16 99	2 40	5 70	2 95	285 00	50 98
6	10	...	16 23	....	1 60	.. .	115 86	21 93
1	3	....	15 00	2 03	6 45	18 00	225 00	34 30
2	3	....	27 00	1 32	3 18	9 50	405 00	48 83
3	3	....	5 00	4 25	6 48	....	195 00	3 55
4	3	....	14 00	1 00	3 10	....	255 00	3 00
5	3	....	19 00	....	85	....	195 00	15 25
6	3	....	13 25	2 98	1 89	....	255 00	45 25
7	3	....	13 00	25	1 88	....	225 00	2 25
8	3	...	18 00	25	2 78	....	195 00	6 75
9	3	....	13 50	....	1 89	....	255 00	23 35
10	3	....	17 50	....	92	....	225 00	15 00
11	3	....	9 75	....	3 95	...	225 00	25
1	2	....	17 79	3 41	4 65	....	282 98	63 02
2	2	30 00	20 31	95	8 48	30	289 00	27 65
3	2	....	17 00	1 39	6 95	....	337 29	46 55
4	2	....	21 37	1 00	6 25	....	285 00	53 00
5	2	....	22 19	23 01	9 12	....	305 00	97 84
6	2	....	7 50	....	57	....	255 00	11 62
7	2	....	24 34	4 35	7 00	3 00	255 00	25 73
8	2	....	21 00	50	1 47	....	285 00	35 60
9	2	....	15 50	25	2 25	....	225 00	.....
1	11	...	24 29	3 01	4 06	1 54	285 00	73 30
2	11	...	23 10	...	7 07	50	255 00	45 38
3	11	....	19 10	5 15	6 80	....	235 75	57 87
4	11	....	22 23	1 10	45	....	255 00	45 06
5	11	....	11 63	2 75	5 66	....	258 72	43 35
6	11	....	16 80	30	3 10	1 38	255 00	65 48
7	11	....	4 00	....	4 75	....	263 00	70 99
1	12	....	21 43	...	6 28	1 00	265 00	89 62
2	12	....	12 89	1 00	5 09	....	285 00	62 51
3	12	4 00	10 05	75	5 76	1 65	285 00	27 74
4	12	....	13 85	1 32	3 49	...	246 52	24 13
1	4	....	8 75	2 05	6 40	....	285 00	34 23
2	4	....	9 00	28	....	...	285 00	47 66

CARROLL COUNTY—SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Expenses for year ending September* 30, 1879—Continued.

No of School.	District.	Rent.	Fuel.	Repairs.	Other Incidental Expenses.	Furniture, Black Boards, Stoves.	Teachers' Salaries for the Year.	Receipts from Books.
3	4	$....	$19 90	$2 90	$6 15	$...	$285 00	$33 00
4	4	....	13 99	....	1 88	10 70	225 00	31 00
5	4	....	13 00	9 00	6 62	5 00	255 00	72 89
6	4	....	....	91	6 43	...	276 74	24 37
7	4	...	6 25	1 40	5 50	...	255 00	27 55
8	4	....	9 00	58	5 15	....	225 00	16 86
9	4	....	12 25	80	75	....	285 00	12 09
10	4	....	16 50	5 43	3 05	....	285 00	44 38
11	4	....	13 50	50	6 80	....	285 00	30 50
12	4	....	....	....	....	....	90 00	.....
1	8	....	8 00	2 50	1 25	....	225 00	20 39
2	8	....	12 00	4 25	4 82	3 15	357 50	31 21
3	8	...	14 00	50	2 62	8 35	225 00	35 12
4	8	. ..	21 00	26 98	5 35	. ..	255 00	49 40
5	8	....	....	50	6 20	...	246 69	11 90
6	8	....	5 25	1 80	2 03	4 00	255 00	61 49
7	8	....	7 00	7 00	5 50	....	270 00	38 00
8	8	....	7 00	....	1 85	...	225 00	13 65
9	8	....	21 75	1 25	5 37	....	290 16	39 63
1	5	....	12 00	....	3 40	....	285 00	21 49
2	5	....	17 50	14 29	3 77	....	209 65	20 25
3	5	....	15 48	60	5 60	.. .	281 00	19 90
4	5	....	14 00	2 00	5 30	1 00	255 00	30 18
5	5	....	10 50	1 25	5 33	....	290 50	28 30
6	5	....	13 90	6 30	8 37	.....	255 00	20 95
7	5	....	17 25	4 15	4 98	3 10	255 00	26 49
8	5	....	14 50	....	3 50	....	255 00	10 87
9	5	....	7 50	35	5 30	....	225 00	27 05
10	5	....	9 00	....	2 55	5 50	225 00	36 37
11	5	....	6 00	...	4 03	....	335 00	90 97
1	9	....	24 50	6 28	4 79	....	285 00	54 85
2	9	...	14 50	4 50	4 55	...	285 00	21 98
3	9	...	9 00	2 00	3 17	....	255 00	18 74
4	9	....	16 00	1 10	3 75	2 00	255 00	28 90
5	9	....	12 00	2 37	2 12	75	271 65	55 64
6	9	....	....	....	1 39	....	285 00	11 64
7	9	....	21 00	....	50	....	214 75	10 45
8	9	....	9 00	2 00	4 50	1 25	225 00	25 12
1	6	....	25 01	...	3 05	....	278 00	84 00
2	6	....	23 31	1 00	1 80	....	293 21	71 66
3	6	....	21 50	55	2 87	....	285 00	42 90
4	6	10 00	18 75	....	3 00	....	255 00	15 00
5	6	....	16 85	....	5 66	....	269 31	49 96
6	6	...	8 25	....	5 10	....	255 00	25 21
7	6	....	10 50	2 25	69	....	225 00	66 05
8	6	....	13 00	....	1 95	....	195 00	32 71
9	6	...	13 50	1 05	88	...	285 00	27 79
10	6	....	7 50	....	....	....	285 00	21 15
11	6	....	25 45	1 83	5 00	2 56	255 00	17 44

CARROLL COUNTY—SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Expenses for year ending September* 30, 1879—Continued.

No. of School.	District.	Rent.	Fuel	Repairs.	Other Incidental Expenses.	Furniture, Black Boards, Stoves.	Teachers' Salaries for the year.	Receipts from Books.
12	6	$....	$15 50	$1 46	$3 44	$....	$225 00	$46 35
13	6	....	7 50	65	3 70	....	225 00	24 50
14	6	....	12 37	8 83	7 99	....	285 00	34 06
15	6	....	9 50	....	7 05	....	285 00	27 55
16	6	....	29 25	20	8 80	....	255 00	29 63
1	7	....	76 95	8 40	22 96	....	285 00	65 70
2	7	....	....	45	12 45	....	323 50	82 00
3	7	....	....	85	7 37	....	285 00	43 33
4	7	....	....	71	6 55	....	285 00	27 10
5	7	....	....	2 00	6 70	1 87	255 00	17 75
6	7	....	45 42	2 02	4 00	....	285 00	72 37
7	7	....	2 30	4 58	5 95	1 50	285 00	31 90
8	7	....	19 31	4 21	4 92	....	290 62	25 11
9	7	....	8 00	....	1 26	..	296 50	59 98
10	7	....	9 00	....	1 45	2 49	125 65	15 78
11	7	....	17 19	12 74	15	....	255 00	36 08
12	7	....	15 50	5 30	7 13	....	225 00	16 13
13	7	....	9 75	3 24	5 54	....	285 00	50 38
14	7	....	12 50	30	5 50	....	307 00	64 79
15	7	....	14 00	1 39	7 98	...	255 00	41 01
16	7	....	23 40	9 39	9 25	....	285 00	42 66
17	7	...	9 00	2 76	2 88	....	225 00	7 73
		$44 00	$1,772 06	$277 30	$527 34	$110 36	$31,155 55	$3,994 95

CARROLL COUNTY—COLORED SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Attendance for year ending July* 31, 1879.

No. of School.	District.	Name of Teacher.	Fall Term.		Winter Term.		Spring Term.		Summer Term.		No. of different pupils for the year.
			On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	
1	5	John H. Henderson	....	....	32	16	41	25	....	....	41
1	7	Wm. H. Smith	63	39	88	47	74	43	...	....	88
1	2	Thomas McCann	18	12	23	10	18	6	....	....	23
1	12	R. F. Warren	28	8	42	26	37	28	....	....	42
1	9	Emma V. Randolph	28	16	34	15	36	21	.	....	38
			137	75	219	114	206	123	....	....	232

CARROLL COUNTY—COLORED SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Expenses for the year ending September* 30, 1879.

No. of School.	District	Fuel.	Repairs.	Other Incidental Expenses.	Furniture, Black Boards, Stoves.	Teachers' Salaries for the Year.	Total Expenses.	Receipts from Books.
1	5	$12 00	$ 60	$ 25	$2 00	$120 00	$134 85	$19 03
1	7	13 75	2 00	4 64	50	255 00	275 89	61 90
1	2	17 95	1 40	1 70	....	160 80	181 85	10 88
1	12	11 40	1 73	4 50	....	180 00	197 63	33 33
1	9	8 94	....	2 85	1 25	180 00	193 04	22 75
		$64 04	$5 73	$13 94	$3 75	$895 80	$983 26	$147 89

COLORED SCHOOLS—*Receipts and Disbursements for the year ending September* 30, 1879.

RECEIPTS.

Amount received from State Treasurer..... $1,166 48

DISBURSEMENTS.

Paid for Teachers' Salaries	$895 80	
Incidental expenses.....	13 94	
Rent.....	10 00	
Fuel.....	64 04	
Books and stationery.....	173 22	
Other purposes.....	9 48	
		$1,166 48

CARROLL COUNTY.—*Statement of Receipts and Disbursements for Public School Purposes, for the Year ending September* 30, 1879.

RECEIPTS.

In hands of Secretary September 30, 1878		$ 34 73
Balance on hand, in bank, September 30, 1878		5,436 96
State School Tax		13,736 09
State Free School Fund		2,847 17
County School Tax at 12 cents on the $100		21,000 60
Amount of Levy	$21,000.00.	
Old County School Fund		5,180 41
Interest on Investments		156 72
Book Fees, (deducted from Teachers' salaries)		4,142 84
Sales of Books, (in office)		80 06
State Appropriation to Colored Schools		1,166 48
		$53,781 46

DISBURSEMENTS.

Teachers' Salaries, (of white teachers)	$31,155 55	
Fuel	1,772 06	
Incidental Expenses of Schools	603 40	
Rent	119 00	
Books and Stationery	3,694 04	
Building School Houses	6,003 11	
Repairing "	896 65	
Furniture, Black Boards and Stoves	817 75	
Interest	161 32	
Salary of Secretary, Treasurer and Examiner	1,000 00	
Per Diem of five School Commissioners	481 00	
Office Expenses and Account Books	64 79	
Printing and Advertising	60 00	
Paid to Colored Schools, (several items)	983 26	
Assistant Secretary's Salary and Counsel Fee	391 50	
Balance of Debt paid	2,688 40	
Balance in Bank October 1, 1879	2,889 63	
		$53,781 46

SUMS OF THE OLD SCHOOL FUND DUE TO THE SCHOOL BOARD.

Taneytown Ground-Rents, with Interest	$ 758 69
W. M. R. R. Scrip at 8 per cent. Interest	1,359 00
Balances due on Judgments, about	1,755 93
* Bank Stock held by State Treasurer	7,150 00
	$11,023 62

* The above item of $7,150, mentioned as "Bank Stock," is claimed by the State Treasurer, who holds it as belonging to Carroll county, as appears by the Comptroller's report of 1875, (and doubtless of all his annual reports); and instead of being in the "Farmers' Bank of Maryland," as stated in this office by the late Treasurer, it is shown to be in "The Central Bank of Frederick," as "stock held for the use of the State School Fund;" and being accounted for by the State Comptroller, it can scarcely at the same time be properly chargeable as part of the *County* School Fund available to the County School Commissioners.

CECIL COUNTY.

Prof. M. A. Newell, Secretary of State Board of Education.

DEAR SIR: In reporting to you the condition of the schools of Cecil County for the past year we have to say that we were not able to keep the schools open for the full time of ten months, but only eight and a half months. The character of the schools, however, has not declined in any particular. Our numbers are about the same, with a slight increase in the average attendance.

In regard to our impressions of the present school law and its practical working and efficiency we would refer you to our last report. We have, during the past year, seen nothing to change, but much to confirm the views therein expressed.

We have nothing more of any special interest to communicate which will not be found in the body of the report.

Very respectfully,
JOHN SQUIER, *Secretary.*

CECIL CO.—SUMMARY OF SCHOOL STATISTICS

For the year ending September 30, 1879.

	1879.	1878.
Number of School Houses—Frame, 54; Brick, 15; Stone, 10....	79	81
Number of Male Teachers (Principals).....	30	31
" Female " "	56	54
" Female " (Assistants).....	24	25
Total.....	110	110
Number of Fenced Lots.....	34	36
" Schools having Outbuildings.....	71	70
" " " sufficient Black-boards..	19	20
" " " good Furniture.....	72	71
" Terms Schools were Open.....	3½	4
" different Pupils for the year—Males 2,978		
Females.....2,564		
Total..... ..	5,542	5,576
" Pupils in average attendance.....	2,504	2,581
" Official School Visits paid by Examiner....	183	152

NUMBER OF PUPILS.

	Fall Term.	Winter Term.	Spring Term.	Summer Term
On Roll.....3,476	3,733	3,460	2,556	
Av. attendance.....2,685	2,661	2,597	2,071	

	1879.	1878.
Number of Pupils in 1st Grade December 1.....	523	544
" " 2d " " 1.....	581	595
" " 3d " " 1.....	751	698
" " 4th " " 1....	749	829
" " 5th " " 1.....	745	748
" " 6th " " 1.....	524	403
" " Above 6th " 1.....	64	63

" " Book-Keeping 70; Algebra 113; Philosophy 82; Drawing 24; Geometry 42; Physiology 46.

SCHOOL HOUSES BUILT OR ENLARGED DURING THE YEAR.

No. of Schools	District.	Brick or Frame.	Cost.	Length.	Width.	Height.	Square feet of Black Board	Out Buildings, Yes or No.	Fences, Yes or No	Cost of Furniture
4	1	Frame.	$1,564 50	44	32	12	180	Yes.	Yes.	Included.
7	4	Brick.	420 00	32	24	10	77	Yes	No.	$101 00
5	7	.....	*637 27	..	..	..	....	....	....	.....

*Balance Bill for Port. School.

CECIL COUNTY—SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Attendance for the year ending September* 30, 1879.

No. of School.	District.	Name of Teacher.	Fall Term.		Winter Term.		Spring Term.		Summer Term.		No. of different pupils for the year.
			On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	
1	1	Laura Veach	31	20	31	19	33	25	36	30	78
2	1	Mary A. Sherman	36	27	29	16	32	16	32	26	57
3	1	Mary L. Roberts	21	17	22	17	24	18	17	14	34
4	1	R. Tammany	98	71	90	60	87	67	55	51	172
5	1	H. Weber	30	25	26	18	27	21	31	25	45
6	1	Kate C. Titus	38	32	42	30	46	35	37	23	87
7	1	Mary A Tammany	26	21	31	23	37	27	36	22	57
8*	1	C. Jones	44	35	98	47	83	52	35	27	165
1	2	F. McFarland	6	3	11	7	11	8	10	7	18
2	2	M. A. Foard	24	17	15	10	16	13	16	14	28
3	2	M. M. Ramsey	28	21	25	20	27	25	23	16	36
4	2	L. Evans	19	17	14	11	12	9	11	10	31
5	2	John W. Cavender	175	144	193	156	186	161	154	133	255
6	2	C. C. Williams	30	19	23	17	18	12	12	11	41
7	2	I. M Staples	29	20	21	12	24	18	17	13	45
8	2	H. T. Harlan	11	6	12	7	6	6	7	5	21
9*	2	R. A. Mortimer	13	10	21	16	11	8	9	7	60
10	2	C. C. Cruson	21	15	28	22	31	21	13	11	34
1	3	M. E. Walmsley	22	18	26	23	21	18	17	15	40
2	3	H. L. Owens	31	19	28	16	28	20	21	17	47
3	3	E. B. Waples	147	116	143	101	134	106	107	96	200
4	3	M. Biddle	63	56	66	52	67	56	57	52	88
5	3	Rachael Harlan	36	30	51	40	36	29	26	20	72
6	3	Annie A. Foster	24	19	27	21	26	20	21	17	48

CECIL COUNTY—SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Attendance for the year ending September 30, 1879.*

No. of School.	District.	Name of Teacher.	Fall Term.		Winter Term.		Spring Term.		Summer Term		No. of different pupils for the year.
			On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	
7	3	Annie Nichols	21	15	28	19	21	15	17	13	39
8	3	Hattie Evans	50	45	55	44	55	44	41	31	91
9	3	Mollie Johns	26	23	27	19	31	21	22	20	55
10*	3	J. H Manley	33	32	52	50	46	43	34	25	72
1	4	E. S. Quigley	64	57	71	56	71	59	36	32	89
2	4	B. Veach	42	32	31	23	36	25	26	20	52
3	4	L. M. Hayes	59	51	66	55	58	44	44	38	88
4	4	A M. Strayhorn	38	31	31	22	26	19	27	23	58
5	4	W. H. Brokaw	56	50	48	40	42	32	37	35	76
6	4	S. Slack	18	13	22	16	20	14	11	8	28
7	4	A. M. Willis	39	20	26	18	21	17	19	15	51
8	4	M. Griffith	36	25	31	23	27	17	28	17	64
9	4	A. A. Cole	21	18	31	21	21	18	16	14	32
10*	4	A. B. Steadham	24	20	30	19	30	20	22	18	35
1	5	B. R. Galbraith	12	9	14	11	12	9	10	8	18
2	5	C. Anderson	26	18	26	17	27	17	18	15	42
3	5	R. R. White	17	15	17	15	18	15	12	11	33
4	5	S. A. Yeansley	29	20	33	23	22	14	20	15	31
5	5	J. W. Falls	105	82	129	91	115	87	66	55	166
6	5	M. E. Chapman	19	13	18	12	16	13	15	11	21
7	5	Z. C. Wooley	16	10	29	19	35	17	14	10	39
8	5	G J Benjamin	23	18	27	20	27	21	17	13	37
9	5	M. A Murray	27	21	21	15	17	13	16	12	40
10	5	M L Stevens	27	24	36	29	34	28	16	14	43

11	5	W. M. Reed	23	16	26	15	23	11	8	5	48
12	5	S. White	18	14	22	14	16	10	8	6	26
13	5	G. S. Mattingley	72	55	71	60	62	52	52	48	95
14*	5	E. Harris	23	18	23	15	24	14	18	12	27
1	6	Em. P. Stephens	18	12	21	16	18	14	16	12	29
2	6	Jennie E. McCall	40	32	39	30	34	23	13	13	51
3	6	M. E. Clendenin	55	44	55	41	57	42	41	34	64
4	6	Belle W. Jackson	47	35	50	30	42	31	30	22	72
5	6	F. M. Rawlings	47	39	57	39	55	43	46	40	79
6	6	C. C. Pyle	53	43	52	41	31	27	22	19	75
7	6	C. T. Reynolds	33	23	50	40	54	35	17	13	60
8	6	E. A. Jenkins	48	39	49	38	38	28	39	29	64
9	6	M. A. E. Phillips	21	15	36	20	36	18	27	23	84
10	6	M. E Christie	51	38	50	37	52	35	36	29	86
11	6	E. W. Moore	41	31	41	30	42	28	31	27	64
1	7	J W. Hanna	61	42	66	44	60	42	28	20	85
2	7	C. Reynolds	63	46	62	46	52	44	53	44	81
3	7	J. T. Hynes	61	40	53	38	39	22	22	14	77
4	7	M. R. Williams	36	27	33	21	27	21	26	21	46
5	7	J. D. C. Hanna	217	174	242	118	239	199	182	138	300
6	7	G. R. Stephenson	37	24	37	24	37	23	23	16	61
7	7	J. M. Campbell	32	24	35	27	37	29	21	18	73
8x	7	M. Johnson	57	47	57	35	37	30	22	19	68
9	7	J. W. Eaton	35	29	31	23	26	19	....	....	42
1	8	J L Crothers	73	51	78	61	87	63	59	48	104
2	8	M S. McNamee	38	29	41	32	36	29	28	23	55
3	8	D. H. Richardson	61	35	75	44	70	44	59	46	99
4	8	V. H. Watts	47	30	47	37	47	36	40	32	75
5*	8	P. J. Locke	25	16	28	17	26	18	13	8	42
1	9	Sue Gamble	31	28	36	39	26	22	26	22	44
2	9	J. R. Brown	30	25	28	23	21	15	27	24	52
3	9	S. J. Marris	39	34	37	31	31	25	31	25	54
4	9	M. F. Carhart	29	25	33	26	20	17	18	15	48
5	9	E. J. Gregg	12	10	13	8	11	9	13	10	23
6	9	W. C. Brown	28	22	23	19	25	23	25	19	38
7	9	L. White	22	17	25	17	26	18	13	11	35
8	9	A. Michener	21	16	27	19	26	19	19	17	36
9*	9	M. E. Passmore	....	....	12	8	19	12	20	14	21
		* Colored Schools.	3,476	2,685	3,733	2,661	3 460	2,597	2.556	2.071	5,542

CECIL COUNTY.—SCHOOL STATISTICS.—*Expenses for year ending September 30, 1879.*

No. of School.	District.	Value of School Property.	Fuel.	Repairs.	Other Incidental Expenses.	Furniture, Black Boards, Stoves.	Cost of Books.	Teachers' Salaries for the year.
1	1	$ 900 00	$20 25	$	$19 32	$	$41 16	$303 00
2	1	1,000 00	20 25	....	1 67	.....	20 23	299 00
3	1	500 00	15 75	12 77	10 46	46 13	73 70	313 50
4	1	1,900 00	32 25	....	15 31	31 66	116 82	698 00
5	1	400 00	18 00	1 75	3 39	5 73	21 44	320 66
6	1	1,200 00	19 55	5 10	32 54	15 00	91 65	228 00
7	1	1,000 00	26 00	....	11 65	30	45 26	299 00
8*	1	700 00	17 25	4 41	1 05	.....	44 52	353 09
1	2	500 00	16 19	....	3 60	.....	.....	276 68
2	2	100 00	15 85	1 50	1 81	.....	11 80	253 05
3	2	75 00	14 85	3 85	7 09	.....	11 70	282 34
4	2	600 00	2 50	1 00	2 16	10 99	2 45	265 50
5	2	1,900 00	90 35	70 52	36 16	12 00	225 50	1,732 50
6	2	50 00	29 70	75	1 58	.....	22 30	275 84
7	2	50 00	17 33	12 02	7 48	16 08	55 10	288 50
8	2	300 00	14 85	....	1 56	.....	.....	261 14
9*	2	.....	...	29 70	2 00	1 75	14 70	222 95
10	2	.....	15 85	5 84	6 12	25	13 24	285 50
1	3	50 00	18 56	1 00	11 02	.....	.....	281 00
2	3	100 00	18 50	31 07	10	14 01	29 80	290 00
3	3	5,000 00	56 55	22 46	80	.....	138 90	1,097 00
4	3	500 00	11 00	16 50	7 96	.....	91 20	722 50
5	3	450 00	21 60	131 52	2 83	.....	50 40	324 00
6	3	450 00	11 55	1 65	1 50	.....	12 10	266 50
7	3	350 00	12 30	2 20	1 50	.....	15 10	381 00
8	3	500 00	21 90	3 00	1 36	15 00	57 90	420 80
9*	3	500 00	22 00	....	1 99	.....	10 55	307 50
10	3	.....	15 35	....	....	2 75	4 30	293 00
1	4	1,000 00	31 05	....	17 57	.....	128 95	649 00
2	4	450 00	26 52	....	1 95	.....	32 44	311 00
3	4	1,200 00	23 52	....	7 55	.....	61 53	555 56
4	4	800 00	31 77	....	3 41	.....	51 85	298 72
5	4	1,000 00	30 25	38 00	10 21	.....	29 43	434 63
6	4	600 00	25 31	....	3 79	.....	21 64	273 50
7	4	800 00	31 25	....	13 25	.....	26 12	226 05
8	4	450 00	28 92	98 74	5 33	.....	38 37	288 30
9	4	.....	14 10	....	2 22	.....	30 98	285 00
10*	4	250 00	15 50	....	8 00	.....	30 46	282 55
1	5	25 00	20 45	....	12 50	.....	15 74	237 95
2	5	100 00	22 80	....	6 40	.....	21 23	266 10
3	5	75 00	11 25	....	1 50	.....	18 73	271 50
4	5	800 00	12 75	....	1 00	.....	17 44	287 00
5	5	2,500 00	48 75	....	1 93	.....	87 78	924 42
6	5	200 00	19 24	...	1 48	.....	7 37	264 00
7	5	200 00	16 93	....	5 87	.....	30 80	283 50
8	5	300 00	10 33	....	14 92	.....	35 37	283 00
9	5	400 00	23 75	..	16 46	.....	32 70	275 51
10	5	400 00	20 62	....	18 80	.....	39 12	331 50
11	5	400 00	22 29	....	4 51	.....	34 40	278 05

CECIL COUNTY—SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Expenses for year ending September 30, 1879*—Continued.

No. of School.	District.	Value of School Property.	Fuel.	Repairs.	Other Incidental Expenses.	Furniture, Black-Boards, Stoves.	Cost of Books.	Teachers' Salaries for the year.
12	5	$ 400 00	$13 75	$....	$3 00	$.....	$29 36	$253 00
13	5	1,600 00	36 35	....	26 20	.....	89 13	638 88
14*	5	.....	14 05	13 00	4 46	.....	20 62	225 76
1	6	300 00	22 32	1 25	4 00	8 50	12 89	307 00
2	6	250 00	13 50	4 29	11 50	3 07	59 38	303 50
3	6	1,500 00	26 40	13 51	6 00	1 50	48 74	533 54
4	6	650 00	20 25	1 35	12 90	1 00	36 42	333 00
5	6	850 00	12 02	15 82	14 91	13 30	35 24	500 90
6	6	1,400 00	43 63	43 66	8 45	.....	83 18	432 45
7	6	1,000 00	18 41	1 64	8 19	4 10	59 62	437 09
8	6	300 00	17 74	4 35	6 40	2 85	46 96	333 00
9	6	1,200 00	16 88	30	16 00	16 45	50 99	335 00
10	6	250 00	15 00	....	1 47	90 00	50 64	436 00
11	6	250 00	13 50	171 50	19 00	4 50	49 69	325 00
1	7	500 00	17 19	9 86	11 78	.....	101 09	603 00
2	7	1,100 00	26 94	2 35	2 25	1 45	79 56	631 57
3	7	350 00	22 50	15 43	12 20	4 08	75 78	404 09
4	7	450 00	21 02	7 35	11 11	1 04	30 27	303 92
5	7	11,000 00	125 00	36 36	16 43	5 54	228 66	1,977 50
6	7	1,100 00	24 00	69 23	4 59	....	46 25	310 00
7	7	800 00	18 00	...	9 65	.....	54 76	302 00
8*	7	.....	14 58	10 02	4 00	15 82	28 10	486 00
9	7	.....	18 01	6 07	6 68	17 30	22 77	244 00
1	8	1,300 00	28 75	43 00	9 83	18 34	119 38	688 67
2	8	300 00	23 55	17 43	7 90	25	49 06	312 50
3	8	700 00	39 58	18 06	21 53	73	55 73	675 33
4	8	1,200 00	18 25	5 92	13 42	9 11	50 94	342 00
5*	8	400 00	19 85	3 88	....	15 00	23 00	281 50
1	9	500 00	22 96	....	7 62	.....	34 90	281 41
2	9	600 00	25 47	....	10 31	.....	17 86	267 50
3	9	500 00	20 25	....	4 31	.....	55 91	330 50
4	9	900 00	13 73	....	6 74	.....	47 18	286 46
5	9	100 00	11 00	30 19	4 31	.....	5 18	262 50
6	9	100 00	14 92	....	3 04	.....	15 48	299 50
7	9	450 00	26 42	....	2 23	.....	23 03	262 46
8	9	600 00	28 95	....	4 00	.....	53 04	291 50
9*	9	300 00	15 37	8 03	4 45	.....	12 60	209 41
		$64,225 00	$1,963 32	$1,049 20	$673 62	$405 58	$3,917 66	$34,095 83

* Colored School.

CECIL COUNTY—*Statement of Receipts and Disbursements for Public School Purposes, for the year ending September* 30, 1879.

RECEIPTS.

Balance on hand, September 30, 1878	$ 697 77
State School Tax	12,296 65
State Free School Fund	1,869 02
County School Tax at .. Cents on $100	24,250 29
Book Fees	7,748 21
State Appropriation to Colored Schools	2,171 88
License	80 25
Rent	50 00
Sale of Posts	13 50
	$49,177 57

DISBURSEMENTS.

Teachers' Salaries	$ 34,089 83	
Fuel	1,963 32	
Incidental Expenses of Schools	673 64	
Rent	150 00	
Books and Stationery	5,685 36	
Building School Houses	2,722 77	
Repairing "	1,049 23	
Furniture, Black Boards and Stoves	316 48	
Salary of Secretary, Treasurer and Examiner	1,250 00	
Per Diem of School Commissioners	300 00	
Printing and Advertising	80 63	
Balance due Mr. Reynolds	371 94	
Insurance	88 03	
Freight	120 67	
State Teachers Association	10 00	
Coal Bill for 1879	125 37	
Balance Cash on Hand	180 30	
		$49,177 57

COLORED SCHOOLS.—*Receipts and Disbursements for the year ending September* 30, 1879.

RECEIPTS.

Amount Received from State Treasurer	$2,171 88
" " County School Board	1,345 58
	$3,517 46

DISBURSEMENTS.

Paid for Teachers' Salaries	$2,883 76	
Incidental Expenses	36 76	
Rent	60 00	
Fuel	145 81	
Books and Stationery	214 31	
Repairs	80 95	
Furniture, &c	95 87	
		3,517 46

CHARLES COUNTY.

GEO. M. LLOYD, *Pres't.* A. W. NEALE, *Sec'y and Treas.*

Prof. M. A. Newell,

In forwarding to you the annual report of Charles County Public Schools for the last scholastic year, I shall not venture to make any remarks beyond giving one or two pieces of information not contained in my statistical summary.

On the 28th of January last, the old Board and Examiner having retired from office, your present subscriber was appointed to the responsible position vacated by Mr. George M. Lloyd, my most valued and honored predecessor. It is a subject of congratulation that the educational interests of our county do not entirely lose his valuable services; together with Mr. Samuel W. Adams and Samuel Cox, Jr., he constitutes our present Board of School Commissioners—being president of that body.

I am sure, my dear sir, that you so fully appreciate the past services and worth of Mr. Lloyd as to make the severance of your official relations a subject of very deep regret to you. He still enjoys good health in the quiet pursuit of his home affairs; but failing health, which rendered him incapable of taking the long rides over the country necessary in the discharge of the duties of his office, was the primary cause of his withdrawal.

You will notice in the report that the number of visits made by the Examiner does not come up to the requirement of the law. This was because of the ill health of Mr. Lloyd, which prevented him from making his usual rounds last fall.

I entered upon the discharge of the duties of my office in February last, and have reported the number of visits made by myself up to the 30th of September last. I have visited thirty-eight schools this fall, commencing my rounds in October.

During the year we had the misfortune to lose by fire, school No. 2, 1st election district. This house was situated in our county town—Port Tobacco—and was the largest and best school-house in the county. Our schools, I believe, are going on in a manner satisfactory to the Board and the patrons, and hoping we may be able to afford you the satisfaction which would be so agreeable to us to be able to render you, I remain with great respect

Very truly, your obedient servant,

A. W. NEALE,

Secretary and Treasurer.

CHARLES COUNTY—SUMMARY OF SCHOOL STATISTICS

For Year Ending September 30, 1879.

	1878.	1879.
Number of School Houses—Frame 57; Log 7	62	64
" " Male Teachers, (Principals)	36	34
" " Female " "	33	34
" " Male " (Assistants)	..	..
" " Female " "	1	1
Total	70	69
Number of Fenced Lots	..	1
" " Schools having Out-buildings	2	2
" " " " sufficient Black-boards	32	..
" " " " good Furniture	41	..
" " Terms Schools were open	4	3 3-5
" " different Pupils for the year	2,544	2,527
" " Pupils in average attendance	....	950

Number of Pupils.

	Fall Term.	Winter Term.	Spring Term.	Summer Term.
On Roll	1,568.	1,927.	2,090.	1,713.
Average attendance	769.	935.	1,152.	945.

School Houses Built or Enlarged During the Year.

No. of Schools.	District.	Brick or Frame	Cost.	Length.	Width.	Height.	Square Feet of Black-Board.	Out-Buildings Yes or No.	Fences. Yes or No.	Cost of Furniture.
5	8	Frame	$325 00	24	20	10	..	No.	No.	.....

CHARLES COUNTY—SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Attendance for year ending June* 30, 1879.

No. of School.	District.	Name of Teacher.	Fall Term.		Winter Term.		Spring Term.		Summer Term.		No. of different pupils for the year.
			On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	
1	1	Josephine Smith	14	7	15	8	15	9	13	5	23
2	1	Clara Semmes	23	13	23	12	23	17	19	12	27
3	1	Jane M. Huntt	19	11	19	9	28	20	27	20	34
4	1	Lizzie Semmes	34	20	38	22	43	22	40	29	51
1	2	George O. Carpinter	10	5	15	9	15	9	11	6	20
2	2	Helen L. Arnold	32	18	28	18	49	26	40	20	52
3	2	James A. Franklin	25	12	30	11	18	12	20	11	35
4	2	C. T. Bruce	9	4	9	6	18	10	17	7	19
1	3	James T. Carpinter	14	4	17	8	20	12	18	10	23
2	3	Thomas J. Speake	15	5	10	3	11	4	11	7	18
3	3	F. M. Price and W. A. Smith	24	12	21	8	19	9	12	6	28
4	3	Adelaide Price	24	9	29	13	30	14	23	8	30
5	3	R. Harrison Posey	21	7	38	20	44	24	28	14	45
1	4	Fannie Taylor	32	19	30	16	28	18	24	17	35
2	4	J. R. Cox	16	8	30	14	32	16	26	15	40
3	4	J. N. Posey	22	10	29	14	21	11	20	11	31
4	4	Emma S. Dent	26	15	31	19	34	23	32	18	39
5	4	Annie Turner	27	12	26	11	29	18	24	17	37
1	5	Marian Taylor	20	8	21	8	21	11	19	9	25
2	5	John S. Higdon	16	8	21	11	33	14	29	19	35
3	5	Benjamin G. Harris	15	6	14	7	18	10	15	8	22
1	6	T. T. Hancock	28	18	25	17	29	21	26	19	32
2	6	George N. Lyon	23	10	29	12	32	18	24	10	34
3	6	V. A. Mudd	23	11	20	10	20	11	16	10	26

CHARLES COUNTY—SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Attendance for the year ending June* 30, 1879—Continued.

No. of School.	District.	Name of Teacher.	Fall Term.		Winter Term.		Spring Term.		Summer Term.		No. of different pupils for the Year.
			On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	
4	6	M. L. Gaily	33	14	43	22	41	23	30	16	48
5	6	William J. Norris	24	13	25	12	31	20	27	17	32
6	6	Samuel N. Cox	31	19	31	13	37	24	32	19	41
1	7	J. W. Halley	12	6	20	9	24	11	16	7	24
2	7	J. R. R. McCarthy and M. Thomas	23	14	21	14	27	18	23	14	34
3	7	F. L. Higdon and J. R R. McCarthy	29	10	34	12	39	18	26	17	53
1	8	Sallie B. Pennington	19	14	20	12	26	17	19	16	32
2	8	Rebecca Compton	25	16	25	13	30	20	27	20	31
3	8	C. E. Thomas	20	10	18	13	24	15	24	17	31
4	8	Seraphine Mudd	24	14	24	12	26	16	23	16	31
5	8	James E. Higdon	36	21	37	17	37	24	36	21	48
6	8	Benjamin Gough	18	7	26	13	27	10	17	5	28
7	8	M. A. Carrico	24	15	32	16	30	18	28	16	36
8	8	Thomas J. Grant	17	11	23	17	24	18	27	16	30
1	9	Noble E Barnes	38	19	49	15	46	26	41	26	56
2	9	J. F. Ticer	17	11	24	10	23	17	21	16	28
			902	466	1,020	506	1,122	654	951	567	1,344

CHARLES COUNTY—SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Expenses for year ending September* 30, 1879.

No. of School.	District.	Rent.	Fuel.	Repairs.	Other Incidental Expenses.	Furniture, Black Boards, Stoves.	Teachers' Salaries for the year.	Receipts from Books.
1	1	$....	$10 37	$....	$ 30	$	$270 00	$ .....
2	1	....	4 25	...	25	.....	267 20	70
3	1	...	12 00	17 38	60	.....	270 00	.....
4	1	....	18 00	....	2 15	.....	270 00	18 56
1	2	....	6 00	4 48	....	.....	270 00	40
2	2	....	5 50	....	....	.....	270 00	.....
3	2	....	6 25	3 00	....	.....	270 00	1 50
4	2	....	3 75	....	....	.....	270 00	2 05
1	3	....	6 92	....	85	.....	270 00	2 36
2	3	....	6 00	1 50	25	.....	270 00	.....
3	3	....	3 12	....	43	.....	270 00	70
4	3	....	12 00	3 50	5	.....	270 00	.....
5	3	50 00	9 00	9 00	35	.....	270 00	.....
1	4	....	14 00	....	5	69	270 00	11 96
2	4	....	13 75	....	1 05	50	270 00	11 67
3	4	....	11 50	....	....	.....	267 22	9 07
4	4	...	17 00	...	85	63 30	270 00	6 68
5	4	....	6 00	....	5	35 25	270 00	11 [illegible]3
1	5	....	7 00	75	....	.....	270 00	4 92
2	5	....	8 50	....	....	.....	270 00	90
3	5	....	14 75	3 00	35	80	265 35	10 55
1	6	....	10 50	...	15	.....	270 00	5 65
2	6	...	10 50	6 00	....	.....	270 00	1 90
3	6	....	6 00	....	30	.....	270 00	4 74
4	6	....	10 50	....	30	.....	265 83	3 14
5	6	....	11 00	3 25	1 79	2 85	270 00	30
6	6	....	10 00	....	....	14 20	270 00	1 02
1	7	....	4 25	....	3 80	1 15	270 00	1 85
2	7	....	27 00	....	2 60	.....	263 20	45
3	7	....	12 00	...	75	27 35	270 00	1 00
1	8	....	12 50	....	50	.....	270 00	90
2	8	...	13 50	30	....	90	265 80	6 11
3	8	....	8 00	4 75	....	9 55	270 00	15 05
4	8	....	11 20	43	....	1 37	270 00	8 35
5	8	....	11 00	....	....	3 22	270 00	9 35
6	8	....	12 75	....	5	.....	270 00	3 53
7	8	....	13 75	.. .	....	12 03	270 00	.....
8	8	....	6 50	....	2 00	13 05	270 00	5 70
1	9	....	10 50	....	....	1 25	270 00	1 95
2	9	....	15 00	....	....	90	270 00	.....
		$50 00	$412 11	$57 34	$19 82	$188 36	$10,774 60	$164 54

CHARLES COUNTY—COLORED SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Attendance for the year ending June* 30, 1879.

No. of School.	District.	Name of Teacher.	Fall Term.		Winter Term.		Spring Term		Summer Term.		No. of different pupils for the year.
			On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	
1	1	Anna Saunders	50	20	56	23	70	42	62	34	88
1	2	Florence O. Coleman	27	10	38	15	32	15	37	18	47
2	2	Basil D. Mullen	35	26	35	24	35	27	42	39	46
1	3	Samuel Craig	13	3	27	9	32	13	28	13	41
2	3	Florence E. Dorsey	18	7	21	12	22	14	13	7	29
3	3	Jane J. Thomas	23	9	25	12	28	15	22	9	31
4	3	James C. Craig	21	4	14	3	24	10	21	13	30
1	4	Mattie Flanders	34	13	42	19	37	24	29	14	53
2	4	Bettie St. Clair	15	6	21	6	28	11	22	10	28
3	4	William J. Norris	41	19	47	25	53	31	39	24	63
4	4	Alice D. Ware	30	14	46	23	47	25	36	22	51
1	5	Parralee Nugent	22	8	57	27	65	26	40	12	66
2	5	Mary L. Dutton	6	1	18	8	20	12	16	6	20
1	6	Amy V. Gant	39	20	43	21	45	25	20	14	51
2	6	Annie L. Smallwood	45	24	45	18	50	26	47	17	60
1	7	George N. Brown	47	20	64	31	54	28	38	17	91
2	7	F. Gilham and Ida Caustin	35	16	45	23	43	17	36	14	52
1	8	J. J. Darg	30	15	48	24	46	23	30	16	50
2	8	Thomas Jameson	15	10	28	14	22	9	15	8	30
3	8	L. C. Edlen and Esther Blair	10	7	20	12	25	12	24	11	29
4	8	J. D. Flanders	25	14	44	29	59	35	44	27	60
5	8	L. L. Commodore	37	21	27	13	41	22	43	14	43
1	9	Joseph N. Allen	24	7	54	19	56	24	42	14	72
2	9	H. A. Burch	24	9	42	19	34	12	16	5	52
			666	303	907	429	968	498	762	378	1183

CHARLES COUNTY—COLORED SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Expenses for year ending September* 30, 1879.

No. of School.	District.	Rent	Fuel.	Repairs.	Other Incidental Expenses.	Furniture, Black Boards, Stoves.	Teachers' Salaries for the Year.	Receipts from Books.
1	1	$....	$9 10	$ 86	$ 05	20	$405 00	$7 42
1	2	....	12 00	60	....	15	180 00	1 10
2	2	18 00	9 00	....	....	.....	225 00	1 30
1	3	....	9 00	1 50	18	27	155 92	.....
2	3	....	9 50	....	10	50	168 30	2 00
3	3	....	7 25	99	....	.....	177 28	.....
4	3	....	10 00	75	3 23	.....	155 92	.....
1	4	....	19 50	....	11	88	200 00	.....
2	4	20 80	15 25	....	....	90	180 00	4 27
3	4	...	9 00	....	....	4 41	225 00	9 45
4	4	....	3 16	....	....	2 96	225 00	12 70
1	5	....	3 75	....	....	.....	225 00	1 75
2	5	...	10 00	...	...	.....	180 00	1 75
1	6	20 00	....	16	....	.....	178 00	2 94
2	6	....	7 50	....	....	2 25	225 00	6 44
1	7	....	9 00	....	....	3 00	217 68	4 03
2	7	....	13 10	....	05	13 09	180 00	1 57
1	8	....	14 50	30	60	40	225 00	8 80
2	8	25 00	12 50	25 00	....	.....	180 00	10 00
3	8	....	12 00	....	85	10 94	180 00	.....
4	8	10 00	8 50	....	05	1 19	200 00	.....
5	8	....	7 00	....	03	.....	225 00	.....
1	9	....	8 00	3 00	05	3 00	225 00	16 01
2	9	....	12 00	....	35	.....	225 00	2 40
		$93 80	$230 61	$33 16	$5 65	$44 14	$4,963 10	$93 93

COLORED SCHOOLS—*Receipts and Disbursements for the year ending September* 30, 1879.

RECEIPTS.

Unexpended balance of previous appropriation	$1,634 16
Amount received from State Treasurer	5,862 68
Oyster Fund	23 75
Books	93 93
	$7,614 52

DISBURSEMENTS.

Paid for Teachers' salaries	$4,963 10	
Incidental expenses	5 65	
Rent	93 80	
Fuel	230 61	
Books and Stationery	453 67	
Recording Deeds	11 45	
Repairs and Furniture, &c	77 30	
Salary of Examiner	30 00	
Advertising	32 00	
Building	508 24	
Legal services	145 00	
Balance cash on hand	1,063 70	
		$7,614 52

CHARLES COUNTY.—*Statement of Receipts and Disbursements for Public School Purposes, for the Year ending September* 30, 1879.

RECEIPTS.

Balance on hand, September 30, 1878		$2,163 13
State School Tax		8,539 23
State Free School Fund		1,125 77
State Donations		400 00
County School Tax at .. cents on the $100		3,360 97
Amount of Levy	$ 3,446 00	
Book Fees		164 54
Oyster Fund		40 85
Colored Schools—State Appropriation		5,862 68
" Oyster Fund		23 75
" Book Fees		93 93
		$21,774 85

DISBURSEMENTS.

Teachers' Salaries	$ 10,774 60	
Fuel	412 11	
Incidental Expenses of Schools	19 82	
Rent	50 00	
Books and Stationery	588 11	
Building School Houses	195 00	
Repairing "	57 34	
Furniture, Black Boards and Stoves	188 36	
Enclosing School Lot	46 90	
Salary of Secretary, Treasurer and Examiner	482 43	
Per Diem of School Commissioners	150 80	
Office Expenses and Account Books	10 31	
Printing and Advertising	25 00	
Paid to Colored Schools, (total cost)	6,550 82	
Balance Cash on Hand	2,223 25	
		$21,774 85

DORCHESTER COUNTY—SUMMARY OF SCHOOL STATISTICS.

For the Year ending June 30, 1879.

	1878.		1879.	
	White.	Col'd.	White.	Col'd.
Number of School Houses—Frame, 101	74	26	77	26
Number of Male Teachers (Principals)	53	19	51	21
" Female " "	28	7	32	7
" Male " (Assistants)	1	..	..	..
" Female " "	5	1	5	..
Total	87	27	88	28
Number of Fenced Lots	7	3	7	3
" Schools having Out-buildings	38	7	40	..
" " having sufficient Black-boards.	4	6	70	20
" " having good Furniture	75	17	76	17
" Terms Schools were Open	3 2-5	2 2-5	3 2-5	2 2-5
" Different Pupils for the Year	3,610	1,391	3,455	1,418
" Pupils in average attendance	1,539	610	1,600	636
" Official School Visits paid by Examiner.	175	52	20	7

Number of Pupils.

	Fall Term.		Winter Term.		Spring Term.		Summer Term.	
	Wh.	Col.	Wh.	Col.	Wh.	Col.	Wh.	Col.
On roll	2,418	353	2,948	1,280	2,905	1,209	972	75
Av. attendance	1,393	217	1,634	631	1,681	635	696	44

	1878.		1879.	
	W.	C.	W.	C.
Number of Pupils in 1st Grade December 1	503	355	459	369
" " 2nd " " 1	385	173	377	212
" " 3rd " " 1	449	219	428	240
" " 4th " " 1	545	239	508	238
" " 5th " " 1	453	146	539	156
" " 6th " " 1	453	85	409	72
" " above 6th " 1	207	12	277	22

" " Book keeping, white, 21, colored, 1; Algebra, white, 99, colored, 5; Philosophy, white, 159, colored, 5; Geometry, white, 59, colored, 5; Physiology, white, 91, colored, 4; Latin, white, 38.

SCHOOL HOUSES BUILT OR ENLARGED DURING THE YEAR.

No. of Schools.	District.	Brick or Frame.	Cost.	Length	Width.	Height.	Out buildings, Yes or No.	Fences, Yes or No.	Cost of Furniture.
WHITE.									
9	2	F.	*$220 00	28	24	10	No.	No.	None yet.
2	7	F.	*282 90	24	24	12	Yes	Yes	Extension of old building, same furniture, about $100.
10	7	F.	*189 00	26	22	10	Yes.	No.	
			†242 36						
			$934 26						
COLORED.									
1	1	F.	*$150 50	26	22	10			Ordered from old house.
2	5	F.	238 00	26	22	10			
4	7	F.	287 00	26	22	10			
			‡159 75						
			$735 25						

* In part. † Repairs, &c., White Schools. ‡ Repairs, &c., Colored Schools.

DORCHESTER COUNTY—SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Attendance for the year ending June* 30, 1879.

No. of School.	District.	Name of Teacher.	Fall Term.		Winter Term.		Spring Term.		Summer Term.		No. of different pupils for the Year.
			On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	
1	1	A. H. Smith	40	25	41	31	33	25	20	13	46
2	1	F. P. Cockran	34	20	44	24	....	....	....	....	...
2	1	Miss M. E. Neal	....	....	....	....	36	23	18	12	49
3	1	C. E. Messick	28	21	50	33	50	30	....	....	52
4	1	J. E. Nichols, and Miss M. Knotts, Ass't	48	21	68	33	66	32	19	14	75
5	1	Miss A. E Hurlock	36	23	50	26	43	25	21	17	53
6	1	Thos. L. Trice	35	19	51	28	43	27	35	20	54
7	1	John H. Rogers	52	35	58	31	54	27	...	...	67
8	1	W S. Smith	21	12	28	20	....	....	....	....	....
8	1	J. S Warren	....	....	....	....	30	15	....	....	33
1	2	C. M. Helsby	30	23	34	22	39	24	....	....	45
2	2	Thos. Leckie	34	19	32	18	43	23	39	32	53
3	2	J. T. Prouse	35	20	45	25	35	19	....	....	51
4	2	Miss A. S. Howeth	37	21	45	24	43	24	28	22	47
5	2	Mrs. S. L. Wilson	46	26	42	24	47	31	31	20	56
6	2	Mrs. E. F. McBride	18	12	23	13	21	13	14	10	27
7	2	C. C. Dail	23	10	28	14	28	14	....	....	38
8	2	Mrs. E. V. Jacobs	49	41	61	30	59	40	22	19	64
9	2	Miss L. Purnell	....	....	....	....	21	16	....	....	21
1	3	W. B. Tharp, and Miss E. Waddell, Ass't.	71	52	78	52	82	45	61	43	83
2	3	Thos. W. Wright	30	17	40	22	45	22	25	11	45
3	3	R W. Webb	19	10	33	18	35	23	16	11	35
4	3	Miss Nora Insley	15	6	21	10	21	12	15	12	23
5	3	Eugene Hodson, M. D	15	9	23	16	27	14	17	7	25

DORCHESTER COUNTY—SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Attendance for the year ending June* 30, 1879—Continued.

No. of School.	District.	Name of Teacher.	Fall Term.		Winter Term.		Spring Term.		Summer Term.		No of different pupils for the year.
			On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	
6	3	Miss D. Wilson	11	7	16	6	16	7	....	....	17
1	4	W. H. P. Bryan and Mrs. O. B. Bryan, Ass't.	75	47	85	53	78	52	53	43	96
2	4	T. W. Staplefort	20	9	23	10	25	14	17	8	28
3	4	J. Spicer	18	16	31	13	32	14	18	10	36
4	4	C. D. Smith	24	10	41	20	38	20	20	12	42
5	4	W. F. Applegarth	21	14	27	14	30	16	....	...	31
6	4	Miss E. Smith	17	7	25	10	23	11	....	....	26
1	5	W. F. Harper	22	9	30	15	30	18	17	11	32
2	5	W. L. H. Bryan	38	14	51	25	31	21	....	....	51
3	5	T. P. Pattison	22	9	33	13	....	....	....	....	....
3	5	L. J. Catrup	....	....	....	....	33	15	....	....	33
4	5	D. D. LeCompte	31	15	36	17	40	17	....	....	55
5	5	R. E. Hubbard	16	8	20	9	18	8	...	....	21
1	6	J. G. Mills	30	10	40	18	34	19	....	....	41
2	6	J. H. Dalby	44	20	57	27	41	23	....	....	61
3	6	Miss T. Burnston	37	21	40	23	39	22	....	....	43
4	6	B. Travers	17	13	19	14	17	12	....	....	19
5	6	J. R. Tubman	19	10	21	13	22	16	...	...	24
1	7	H. Lloyd	25	16	32	20	30	19	22	14	38
1	7	Miss J. Flint	37	24	44	28	49	34	22	20	54
1	7	Mrs. V. A. Staplefort	52	29	47	29	50	30	17	11	65
2	7	Miss L. Straughn and Gennie Bryan, Ass't	74	46	82	43	78	51	52	34	92
3	7	Miss W. E Flint	16	12	23	10	26	15	....	...	30
4	7	Mrs S. H. Thomas	33	18	39	16	39	19	22	15	48

5	7	Miss M. Bramble	25	13	20	11	30	12	....	....	31
6	7	Miss E. Creighton	31	14	41	20	44	26	23	13	48
7	7	Miss J. Handy	16	7	22	7	19	6	....	....	25
8	7	E. O. Watkins	25	14	29	14	21	8	....	....	30
9	7	Miss M. Vickers	29	19	26	17	29	19	....	....	39
10	7	Miss M. Knotts	....	...	....	....	26	19	21	17	26
1	8	Miss S. C. Wheedon	47	25	47	27	63	41	22	22	71
2	8	C. Purnell	25	11	29	13	29	15	....	...	40
3	8	M. Dashiell	28	11	29	14	35	14	20	11	45
4	8	Mrs. Nannie Hicks	46	26	53	34	58	37	33	30	60
5	8	Miss B. Radcliffe	29	13	38	18	41	20	25	19	43
6	8	Miss M. Battee	19	11	21	10	18	10	....	...	26
1	9	D. W. Newbury	38	21	43	22	38	20	....	....	44
2	9	Miss A. N. Crawford	42	28	44	29	41	29	....	...	47
3	9	O. H. Murphy	44	24	42	27	44	26	38	27	45
4	9	Miss R. G. Vickers	17	8	20	9	16	7	....	....	26
1	10	E. Jones and Mrs. M. Jones, Assistant	62	36	88	54	63	43	....	....	97
2	10	S. M. Donoho	48	31	61	33	61	36	....	....	71
3	10	M. Travers	22	12	25	14	19	14	....	....	25
4	10	W. A Langford	34	26	40	31	34	24	30	25	42
5	10	J. E. Diggs	17	13	17	12	16	14	....	....	18
6	10	Miss R. E. Lewis	12	11	12	10	12	8	....	....	12
1	11	G. A. K. Stevens	28	18	34	20	33	18	18	13	35
2	11	A. A. Wilson	23	10	37	18	33	15	....	....	40
3	11	W. H. Allen	30	14	32	21	29	20	20	15	35
4	11	Miss F. E. Carroll	19	11	23	13	19	13	11	10	24
1	12	Miss C. Noble	45	34	40	28	45	22	...	....	57
2	12	Miss E. Creighton	29	20	36	24	31	22	22	20	42
3	12	S. S. Andrews	31	21	45	27	....	....	....	....	....
3	12	W. S. Smith	....	....	....	....	37	26	....	....	45
4	12	W. J. Mowbray	25	15	36	16	35	17	....	....	41
5	12	J. W. Noble	56	24	68	34	60	29	....	....	73
6	12	J. A. Trice	21	13	40	21	48	22	....	...	50
1	13	C. A. LeCompte	28	14	34	18	33	20	24	18	43
2	13	Miss L. E. Andrews	12	5	19	8	25	12	24	15	34
			2,418	1,393	2,948	1,634	2,905	1,681	972	696	3,455

DORCHESTER COUNTY—SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Expenses for year ending September* 30, 1879.

No. of School.	District.	Fuel.	Repairs.	Other Incidental Expenses.	Furniture, Black Boards, Stoves.	Cost of Books.	Teachers' Salaries for the year.	Receipts from Books.
1	1	$3 50	$....	$ 25	$....	$.....	$251 25	$16 24
2	1	5 75	....	8 30	....	40	241 97	19 18
3	1	5 00	50	6 83	....	4 10	215 27	15 31
4	1	4 00	3 50	3 35	...	3 65	402 52	19 85
5	1	9 00	1 72	....	....	6 05	251 25	13 18
6	1	4 00	5 75	1 00	....	4 77	251 25	15 42
7	1	12 25	....	....	...	40	225 00	15 40
8	1	....	....	3 65	2 43	.....	240 00	10 00
1	2	12 85	....	1 00	....	.....	225 00	12 90
2	2	13 75	1 65	1 65	....	6 10	335 00	36 75
3	2	10 50	13 25	2 44	3 25	3 75	225 00	17 29
4	2	8 75	1 00	94	....	.....	251 25	14 85
5	2	2 25	....	3 90	....	.....	251 25	18 60
6	2	8 00	....	6 02	4 75	25	251 25	4 15
7	2	1 25	....	4 57	....	5 37	222 08	6 65
8	2	11 50	....	40	...	1 46	261 10	13 32
9	2	75	....	15	....	1 00	62 02	8 75
1	3	4 00	6 20	4 09	23 89	6 90	579 83	42 45
2	3	9 50	1 50	2 44	4 10	7 52	248 85	7 15
3	3	4 80	75	3 10	....	2 30	247 11	18 08
4	3	4 50	....	77	1 85	3 35	234 93	9 80
5	3	3 75	1 50	41	...	3 50	248 72	6 55
6	3	5 00	40	60	....	.....	175 00	2 35
1	4	1 60	60	....	1 75	16 45	566 45	47 76
2	4	....	....	....	25	1 40	240 14	17 55
3	4	11 25	...	....	....	1 75	251 25	10 25
4	4	11 00	....	3 60	....	10 92	251 25	28 49
5	4	9 10	...	1 70	....	.....	285 00	17 33
6	4	50	....	1 35	....	5 10	210 20	12 90
1	5	13 25	...	50	6 00	3 96	258 00	26 37
2	5	16 75	25	6 15	...	7 90	211 86	11 25
3	5	17 99	....	85	1 50	5 40	203 02	9 15
4	5	7 50	....	80	2 45	.....	300 00	10 30
5	5	4 75	....	25	....	.....	213 68	10 45
1	6	9 50	....	42	....	3 37	240 00	19 82
2	6	....	....	2 06	....	2 75	225 60	4 25
3	6	10 93	50	1 78	....	75	225 00	20 06
4	6	5 75	....	...	....	.....	225 00	3 18
5	6	5 00	....	2 81	....	2 03	225 00	6 34
1	7	15 00	2 00	85	....	9 25	335 02	48 68
1	7	....	....	...	....	.....	335 00	20 60
1	7	....	....	....	....	2 30	283 00	9 14
2	7	....	4 20	8 25	....	10 76	571 25	60 30
3	7	5 90	....	....	....	.....	225 00	10 76
4	7	6 63	....	70	50	1 22	251 25	19 83
5	7	6 00	....	....	....	5 81	225 00	11 36
6	7	3 75	....	1 50	....	14	268 00	13 16
7	7	15 37	....	....	....	.....	204 92	13 90
8	7	1 50	2 50	25	....	.....	225 00	14 35

DORCHESTER COUNTY—SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Expenses for year ending September* 30, 1879—Continued.

No. of School.	District.	Fuel	Repairs.	Other Incidental Expenses.	Furniture, Black Boards, Stoves.	Cost of Books.	Teachers' Salaries for the year.	Receipts from Books.
9	7	$ 85	$1 50	$9 35	$....	$10 37	$220 87	$26 90
10	7	....	....	63	....	.....	58 57	4 35
1	8	14 12	2 75	4 37	2 41	2 97	335 00	32 07
2	8	1 00	....	20	....	40	222 28	12 30
3	8	8 00	25	....	....	1 65	229 75	21 19
4	8	13 50	8 20	8 63	....	2 54	251 25	16 35
5	8	....	2 30	2 60	...	1 25	258 75	35 80
6	8	11 00	....	....	...	1 20	225 00	9 95
1	9	3 62	4 19	50	....	1 60	297 27	16 60
2	9	1 25	50	....	....	2 45	223 64	24 90
3	9	1 00	8 20	55	....	3 45	268 00	34 34
4	9	....	....	...	....	....	205 00	7 15
1	10	4 00	....	1 20	5 00	5 94	413 56	31 44
2	10	10 00	....	2 65	3 87	3 05	224 46	36 39
3	10	12 25	....	3 71	7 00	77	225 00	14 03
4	10	9 00	1 00	2 52	....	6 56	241 25	24 12
5	10	3 50	....	....	....	.....	225 00	.....
6	10	10 42	....	....	...	....	180 00	2 00
1	11	3 12	....	5 91	2 00	4 50	329 64	29 39
2	11	6 50	....	....	...	3 60	225 00	13 55
3	11	6 00	....	1 56	....	5 21	232 60	19 62
4	11	4 50	....	83	....	6 57	236 25	8 00
1	12	7 47	75	7 61	....	....	300 00	43 29
2	12	5 42	....	15 50	....	1 67	236 25	22 00
3	12	10 13	40	2 62	3 19	80	240 00	25 26
4	12	....	6 45	19	....	2 15	240 00	18 62
5	12	2 40	1 25	70	....	5 30	225 00	14 24
6	12	....	....	....	....	50	225 00	6 30
1	13	3 00	....	....	50	2 52	331 38	16 55
2	13	75	12 70	5 79	....	.....	237 45	8 19
		$476 47	$98 21	$167 30	$76 69	$229 15	$20,315 01	$1,396 64

DORCHESTER COUNTY—COLORED SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Attendance for the year ending June 30, 1879.*

No. of School.	District.	Name of Teacher.	Fall Term. On Roll.	Fall Term. Average daily attendance.	Winter Term. On Roll.	Winter Term. Average daily attendance	Spring Term. On Roll.	Spring Term. Average daily attendance	Summer Term. On Roll.	Summer Term. Average daily attendance.	No. of different pupils for the year.
1	1	W. J. Jackson	19	10	40	19	33	19	....	....	41
1	2	J. T. Harris	29	16	76	31	79	43	....	....	82
2	2	Miss H. E. Pinder	....	....	46	30	57	24	25	12	65
3	2	T. B. Chamberlain	14	9	31	18	24	15	....	....	31
1	3	L. G. Robinson	11	7	79	38	72	38	....	....	83
1	4	John H. Keene	32	14	65	28	52	36	...	....	70
2	4	Miss A. M. Brown	11	6	35	15	45	19	...	....	49
1	5	John H. Griffin	....	....	31	15	28	17	....	....	31
2	5	Jos. W. Griffin	....	....	42	21	38	16	....	....	43
3	5	G. H. Lane	....	....	51	20	52	32	....	...	53
1	6	W. F. Griffin	....	....	21	17	22	16	....	....	22
1	7	G. W. Dickson	19	15	34	15	38	30	26	15	39
1	7	Benj. Jenifer	59	47	82	53	84	54	....	...	105
2	7	W. S. Welborn	21	12	48	40	45	12	....	....	49
3	7	T. A. White	20	17	69	37	61	48	....	....	69
4	7	W. L. Camper	15	7	54	32	46	29	....	....	55
1	8	Miss C. Gibson	10	6	57	25	45	13	....	....	59
1	9	Miss A. W. Keene	19	7	74	32	56	34	....	....	83
1	11	L. R. Stanley	....	....	42	14	33	12	....	...	42
2	11	G. W. Dixon	....	....	34	21	44	20	24	17	49
3	11	J. H Elbert	6	5	50	17	56	26	...	....	61
4	11	J. W. Robinson	12	6	19	11	17	11	....	...	19
1	12	Miss S. A. Jason	9	3	20	11	....	...	....	....	20
2	12	G. W. Anderson	22	14	57	20	53	14	...	....	57

3	12	D. J. Pinkett	12	8	34	14	....	....	....	....	...
3	12	Thos. C. White	....	....	....	....	34	17	....	....	38
1	13	W. F. Hughes	13	8	52	24	46	24	....	...	54
2	13	Miss Isabella Johnson	....	....	37	13	49	16	...	....	49
			353	217	1,280	631	1,209	635	75	44	1,418

DORCHESTER COUNTY—COLORED SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Expenses for the year ending September* 30, 1879.

No. of School.	District.	Fuel.	Repairs.	Other Incidental Expenses.	Furniture, Black Boards, Stoves.	Cost of Books.	Teachers' Salaries for the Year.	Receipts from Books.
1	1	$5 50	$....	$1 00	$....	$.....	$122 10	$5 80
1	2	3 37	25	30	....	.....	123 20	5 15
2	2	2 50	2 37	25	....	.. ..	127 57	4 70
3	2	6 25	....	25	....	.....	123 12	11 00
1	3	5 38	1 00	....	....	.....	108 18	.....
1	4	7 12	...	2 55	....	67	119 13	30 42
2	4	8 13	7 78	3 51	....	.....	110 76	5 30
1	5	4 00	75	25	....	.....	125 25	5 99
2	5	5 00	....	2 17	1 31	80	130 00	10 93
3	5	9 50	4 08	95	....	.....	116 73	12 02
1	6	7 00	25	57	60	.....	121 58	5 42
1	7	3 60	70	1 15	....	.....	148 87	7 66
1	7	...	....	....	....	.....	141 91	14 56
2	7	6 27	13	....	....	70	127 09	3 50
3	7	7 50	....	33	....	1 22	123 45	13 80
4	7	14 25	....	....	....	.....	115 75	10 08
1	8	5 00	....	....	....	.....	124 88	7 98
1	9	11 10	....	....	....	75	117 60	8 30
1	11	6 25	50	....	....	.....	123 53	4 07
2	11	2 00	5 50	53	....	.....	121 85	7 05
3	11	10 13	1 00	06	....	.....	108 20	12 54
4	11	5 63	30	....	2 00	.....	122 08	6 35
1	12	3 06	....	15	....	.....	57 26	5 45
2	12	5 44	....	....	75	.....	118 70	12 08
3	12	4 00	50	....	....	.....	110 29	12 60
1	13	7 00	....	....	....	70	124 80	10 47
2	13	5 50	....	...	....	.....	124 50	5 40
		$160 48	$25 11	$14 02	$4 66	$4 84	$3,238 38	$238 62

COLORED SCHOOLS—*Receipts and Disbursements for the Year ending September* 30, 1879.

Receipts.		Disbursements.	
Amount received from State Treasurer..... ...	$4,591 20	Balance overpaid by Board preceding years to date...	$ 913 01
Amount received from County School Board....	300 00	Paid for Teachers' Salaries.	$3,238 38
Sale of Books.....	238 58	Incidental Expenses	18 86
Balance due School Board..	657 24	Fuel.	189 88
		Books and Stationery.....	238 58
		Surveying.....	8 00
		Building School Houses....	735 25
		Repairs..	25 11
		Furniture, &c..	19 95
		Share of General Expenses, (estimate)..	400 00
	$5,787 02		$5,787 02

DORCHESTER COUNTY.—*Statement of Receipts and Disbursements for Public School Purposes, for the Year ending September* 30, 1879.

RECEIPTS.

State School Tax			$10,999 11
State Free School Fund			1,868 58
County School Tax at 20 cents on the $100			9,100 46
Amount of levy		$11,000 00.	
Fines and Forfeitures, (oyster cases)			105 00
Oyster Licenses			2,395 49
Sales of Books—White		$1,396 64	
" " Colored		238 62	
" " Office		87 17	1,722 39
State appropriation to colored schools			4,591 20
Balance due to Treasurer			242 65
			$30,934 88

DISBURSEMENTS.

Balance due to Treasurer September 30, 1878		$ 457 19	
Teachers' Salaries		20,315 01	
Fuel—Teachers' Reports	$476 47		
" By School Board	331 64	808 11	
Incidental Expenses of Schools—Incidentals	$167 30		
" " Free Books	229 15	396 45	
Books and Stationery		1,328 28	
Building School Houses		934 26	
Repairing " "		98 21	
Furniture, Black Boards and Stoves		340 04	
Interest		8 25	
Fees Clerk of Court and Lawyers		46 40	
Salary of Secretary, Treasurer and Examiner		1,200 00	
Clerical, &c		300 00	
Per Diem of School Commissioners		309 85	
Office Expenses and Account Books		67 45	
Printing and Advertising		64 50	
Freight and Hauling		25 45	
Paid to Colored Schools:			
Teachers' Salaries		3,238 38	
Fuel—Teachers' Reports	$160 48		
" By School Board	29 40	189 88	
Other Incidentals—Teachers	$14 02		
" " Free Books	4 84	18 86	
Building, &c		735 25	
Repairs		25 11	
Furniture, &c		19 95	
Surveying		8 00	
			$30,934 88

FREDERICK COUNTY.

JAMES W. PEARRE, *President.* D. T. LAKIN, *Secretary.*

Prof. M. A. Newell, Secretary of State Board of Education.

DEAR SIR: The annual report of the Board of County School Commissioners of Frederick County for the year ended September 30, 1879, is herewith respectfully submitted.

By comparing our present financial statement with that of last year, it will be observed that the Board received from the State School Tax for 1879 $3,462.18 less than was received from the same source for the year 1878, and from the County School Tax for 1879 $6,249.94 less than was received during the previous year.

Without additional receipts for the present year, the Board will be absolutely without one dollar to build or repair school houses if the schools of the county be kept open for seven and a half months, as heretofore.

This is to be much regretted, as the attendance upon our schools is annually increasing, and demands are constantly being made upon us for additional and improved facilities in the way of school buildings, furniture, &c.

The only suggestion that we make is that the matter rests wholly with the people themselves. Additional or better facilities cannot be furnished unless more money be provided. If the people be unwilling to pay anything more for public education, they must be content with the inadequate facilities for the education and comfort of their children now afforded them, and should cease finding fault with School Boards for not doing for them what is impossible for them to do without money. It remains to be seen what "we, the people," will do about it.

The falling off in receipts from the State School Tax, we suppose, is attributable to the fact that for several years prior to

1878 there had been a special appropriation out of the general treasury of the State of $100,000 annually for the support of the colored schools of the State, while the whole amount received into the treasury, on account of the levy of Public School Tax, was appropriated to the support of white schools.

The appropriation bills passed by the General Assembly at its session in 1878 (Act of 1878, ch. 406, and Act of 1878, ch. 331,) appropriates $100,000 out of the receipts from Public School Tax for the support of colored schools, and appropriates the balance of receipts from that source to the support of the white schools, State Normal School for whites, and the State Board of Education.

By the operation of these bills the white schools of the State have received, and will receive for the incoming year (1880), more than $100,000 annually less than they were entitled to receive under previous appropriation bills. This seems to us to be making progress backwards, especially when we reflect that the larger appropriations were carried through the whole period of our financial depression; that the industries of the State are reviving, and that the number of children to be educated must certainly increase in the natural order of things.

The large falling off of receipts from the county must be attributed to reasons supposed to be satisfactory to our Board of County Commissioners.

The indebtedness of the Board at the close of the year was $5,000, less $293.06 cash balance in treasury.

In reference to this we would remark, that until there shall be a law appropriating a specific amount of money for the support of the public schools, to be disbursed equally in quarterly instalments, no School Board can make any reliable estimate of the amount of money to be received during the year, nor of the appropriations it can safely make during the year.

In other words, no School Board can guard against the possibility of incurring an indebtedness which cannot be paid out of the receipts of that year, unless it can be known either certainly or approximately the amount of money the Board will receive during that year. By the Act of 1878, ch. 96, being an Act to define the duties of Comptroller of the Treasury relative to the apportionment and distribution of the revenues derived from the annual tax levied for the support of free public schools, &c., it is

provided that "It shall be the duty of the Comptroller to equalize, as far as may be possible, the sums to be apportioned, so as to apportion and distribute the same amount, as far as may be practicable, on each of said days."

Under the foregoing law any School Board would have the right to expect that the first instalment of School Tax from the State for the year (which is payable in October) would indicate, at least approximately, the amount to be received during the year—*e. g.:* If $5,000 were received in October, then $20,000, or about that amount, could be expected during the year. But such has not been the practical working of the law.

The School Board of Frederick County received in the distribution of the School Tax in October, 1878, for white and colored schools, the sum of $8,125.17. Upon this basis, with an equal distribution for the three remaining quarters—in January, March and June—this county would have received for the year ended September 30, 1879, of the State School Tax, the gross sum for white and colored schools of $32,500.68. The gross amount actually received was $27,788.67, or $4,712.01 less than we supposed would be received upon the basis of the October distribution in 1878.

Had we received the $32,500.68, instead of the $27,788.67, which we did receive, we would have had a small balance in the treasury instead of being in debt $4,706.94 at the close of the year. But we did not get the money, and we closed the year in debt to the amount above named.

Very respectfully,

D. T. LAKIN.

FREDERICK COUNTY—SUMMARY OF SCHOOL STATISTICS

For the year ending June 30, 1879.

	1879.	1878.
Number of School Houses—Frame 48; Brick 71; Log 20; Stone 19	158	157
Number of Male Teachers (Principals)	106	102
" Female " "	50	53
" Male " (Assistants)	6	4
" Female " "	25	24
Total	187	183
Number of Fenced Lots	37	36
" Schools having Outbuildings	146	140
" " " sufficient Black-boards	108	..
" " " good Furniture	135	131
" Terms Schools were Open	3	3
" different Pupils for the year—Males 5,341		
Females.....4,615		
Total	9,956	9,812
" Pupils in average attendance { White .....4,736 / Colored..... 683 }	5.419	5,151
" Official School Visits paid by Examiner	170	163

Number of Pupils.

	Fall Term.	Winter Term.	Spring Term.	Summer Term
On Roll	6,920	9,034	8,159	...
Av. attendance	4,619	6,003	5,635	....

	1879.	1878.
Number of Pupils in 1st Grade December 1	1,371	1,202
" " 2d " " 1	1,172	1,106
" " 3d " " 1	1,450	1,449
" " 4th " " 1	1,739	1,707
" " 5th " " 1	1,443	1,406
" " 6th " " 1	991	947
" " Above 6th " 1	245	209

" " Book-Keeping 104; Algebra 239; Philosophy 487; Drawing 55; Geometry 125; Physiology 281; Latin 10; Music 55.

FREDERICK COUNTY—SCHOOL HOUSES BUILT OR ENLARGED DURING THE YEAR.

No. of Schools	District.	Brick or Frame.	Cost.	Length.	Width.	Height.	Square feet of Blak Board	Out-Buildings, Yes or No.	Fences, Yes or No.	Cost of Furniture
						Ceilings.				
2	1	Brick.	$2,223 89	50 ft. 4 in.	32 ft. 4 in.	13 ft.	260 ft.	Yes....	Yes....	$378 51
1	8	Brick.	*3,394 50	73 " 10 "	32 ft. 4 in.	13½ "	380 "	Yes....	No. ...	406 02
7	13	Brick.	*1,398 59	58 " 4 "	26 ft. 4 in	13 "	225 "	Yes ...	Yes....	338 95
5	7		75 00	Balance on house completed last year.						
2	12		54 42	" " " " "						
4	16		198 75	On old indebtedness.						
11	9		56 94	" "						
5	8		37 50	" "						
3	5		450 00	Site for school house in Emmittsburg.						
		Outbuildings	152 43							
			$8,042 02							
* Paid last year.....			780 00							
			$7,262 02							

FREDERICK COUNTY—SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Attendance for the year ending June* 30, 1879.

No. of School.	District.	Name of Teacher.	Fall Term.		Winter Term.		Spring Term.		Summer Term.		No. of different pupils for the year.
			On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	
1	1	Harry S. Miles	50	24	41	23	39	22	....	....	64
2	1	William L. Avis and Assistant	96	64	99	68	89	70	....	....	111
3	1	Henry K. Biser	50	32	53	38	47	35	....	....	55
4	1	William T. Ennis	46	28	60	44	54	38	....	....	70
5	1	Rachel E Dutrow	40	29	44	28	30	23	....	....	42
6	1	Charles W. Wright	53	39	63	42	57	44	....	....	78
7	1	Laura Garrott	20	14	23	15	24	17	....	....	24
1	2	A. B. Holtz	41	25	69	44	62	46	....	....	70
2	2	John T. Shields and P. T. Waltman	53	31	57	33	55	37	....	....	71
3	2	E. D. Neighbours	69	41	91	48	83	46	....	....	99
4	2	Valietta S. Weagly	58	37	61	35	59	38	....	....	75
5	2	M. Virginia Ryan and D. R. Stauffer	37	28	38	24	30	23	....	....	40
6	2	Bettie Roelke and Assistant	91	55	96	60	94	51	....	....	114
7	2	Eldred Johnson and Assistant	61	36	71	38	48	29	....	....	89
8	2	William R. Winchell	22	13	26	16	20	14	....	....	32
9	2	G. W. McBride and three Assistants	187	118	226	165	218	161	....	....	257
10	2	A. P. Works and two Assistants	150	83	177	124	173	131	...	....	209
11	2	Helen J. Rowe and four Assistants	281	195	300	212	285	226	....	....	320
12	2	Sarah C. Tilghman and two Assistants	131	72	127	82	111	86	....	....	141
1	3	Josephus Remsburg	38	28	60	39	57	38	...	....	62
2	3	T. F. Gaver and Assistant	71	52	93	70	88	65	....	....	97
3	3	J. H. T. Rudy and two Assistants	125	101	167	125	157	119	....	....	171
4	3	L. W. McBride	29	16	42	28	31	16	....	....	46
5	3	David Ausherman	55	41	73	51	66	45	....	....	77

FREDERICK COUNTY--SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Attendance for year ending June* 30, 1879—Continued.

No. of School	District.	Name of Teacher.	Fall Term.		Winter Term.		Spring Term.		Summer Term.		No. of different pupils for the year.
			On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	
6	3	John W. Castle	29	16	50	29	45	26	....	....	50
7	3	Carrie V. Figgins	23	15	27	15	24	17	....	....	30
8	3	S. N. Young	31	23	42	29	38	27	....	....	46
9	3	C. T. Guyton	30	25	31	25	29	24	...	....	36
10	3	William Gittings	48	32	63	38	54	32	....	....	63
1	4	Cyrus D. Hoover	41	30	51	33	49	32	....	....	62
2	4	John H. Seabrook	51	38	64	44	53	38	....	....	79
3	4	A. M. Geisbert	40	21	45	23	37	25	....	....	60
4	4	D. H. Staley and Assistant	104	72	138	93	117	75	....	....	148
5	4	C. S. Arnett and J. T. Shields	22	15	44	51	37	49	....	...	45
1	5	Michael McFadden	24	11	39	18	33	20	....	....	47
2	5	Marshall Stiley	40	30	50	40	40	28	....	....	64
3	5	Emma E. Motter	30	24	35	26	34	26	....	....	35
3	5	Annie E. Duphorne	28	22	34	24	35	26	....	....	35
4	5	E. F. Smith	27	19	42	28	38	25	....	....	45
5	5	S. P. Ambrose	35	23	64	39	52	28	....	.. .	68
6	5	George Seybold	29	14	50	25	46	20	....	....	55
7	5	W. F. Miller	44	29	57	31	43	26	....	....	66
8	5	Lemuel Ely	36	21	65	36	44	25	....	....	67
9	5	J. M. Powell	30	22	39	24	34	17	....	....	40
10	5	J. F. Adelsberger	35	25	30	19	26	18	....	....	44
1	6	M. A. E. Biser	57	47	80	62	63	43	....	...	81
2	6	John O. Hays	34	18	39	30	30	21	....	...	50
3	6	George B Vogel and Assistant	76	59	90	76	77	63	....	....	91

4	6	Jas. F. Miller	26	19	32	20	23	15	....	....	34
5	6	Chas. L. Wachter	25	14	42	30	40	27	....	....	45
6	6	T. L. Hanver	47	30	54	44	51	36	....	....	58
7	6	D. U. Schildknecht	50	29	59	49	58	44	...	....	70
8	6	D. Gibbon	16	12	24	17	22	17	....	....	30
9	6	Mollie C. Kinna and Jennie Selsam	38	29	47	36	42	30	....	....	53
1	7	Katie Bartgis	34	22	37	22	32	17	....	....	45
2	7	Jesse W. Dixon	47	31	50	30	45	30	...	....	54
3	7	Titus G. Day	43	24	49	24	56	34	....	....	63
4	7	J. T. Moberly	52	39	64	43	48	30	....	...	66
5	7	Bettie H. Riggs	28	18	40	25	36	20	....	....	44
6	7	F. R. Neighbours	64	42	51	27	42	21	....	....	78
7	7	A. C. Haverstick	33	18	42	21	36	22	....	....	46
1	8	Annie E. Kinzer and Ass't	....	...	118	93	123	96	....	....	126
2	8	Martha J. Ecker	85	57	72	44	57	37	....	....	102
2	8	Clinton Lugenbeel and Lucy E. Poole	....	....	35	19	34	22	....	....	35
3	8	Georgia D. England and Ass't	65	46	79	51	70	51	....	....	92
4	8	Alma O. Thomas	23	16	28	19	29	23	...	....	37
5	8	Mollie A Biggs	37	32	49	37	47	32	....	....	55
6	8	Cinnie C. Pearce	39	20	53	35	47	32	....	....	57
1	9	D. E. Hammond	58	38	70	38	46	20	....	....	77
2	9	S. M. Silance	48	27	68	30	61	35	...	....	76
3	9	J. H. Shipley and Ass't	64	48	83	49	84	59	....	....	90
4	9	Louisa A Hoffman	24	13	46	22	37	18	....	....	48
5	9	J. M. Hanna	43	26	55	30	54	38	....	....	64
6	9	C. M. Luckett	47	26	52	33	47	26	....	...	55
7	9	Mary L. Wood	37	25	47	24	40	25	....	....	47
8	9	Sue M. Garrott	46	32	54	31	53	34	....	....	57
9	9	J. T. Browning	65	33	75	31	66	32	....	....	83
10	9	J. B. Hyatt	19	15	30	24	31	23	....	....	30
11	9	Louisa Dutrow	45	31	52	32	48	32	....	....	56
1	10	C. J. Little and Ass't	99	58	100	78	110	68	....	....	121
2	10	C. N. Stem	43	18	72	34	69	35	....	...	73
3	10	Harvey Buhrman	....	....	30	23	35	23	....	....	35
4	10	A. L. Hanver	23	16	31	20	30	17	....	....	33
5	10	E. M. Z. Buhrman	17	11	32	22	26	23	....	....	32

FREDERICK COUNTY—SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Attendance for year ending June* 30, 1879—Continued.

No. of School.	District.	Name of Teacher.	Fall Term.		Winter Term		Spring Term.		Summer Term.		No. of different pupils for the year.
			On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	
1	11	Jos. Dupney	51	37	46	33	34	23	....	....	71
2	11	Carrie E. Harbaugh	40	24	53	35	50	33	....	....	53
3	11	Jas. E. Dougherty	37	28	55	35	50	33	....	....	60
4	11	J. H. Frees and Elegene L. F. Baker	35	21	62	40	59	40	....	....	70
5	11	Tillie C. Stem and Ass't	78	54	98	81	88	68	....	....	106
6	11	B. W. Stitely	60	40	84	58	76	57	....	...	100
7	11	Adam Roser	31	23	45	30	45	35	....	....	50
1	12	Katie Werking	37	24	47	32	47	31	....	....	54
2	12	C. W. C. Weagly and Ass't	79	57	88	58	78	54	....	...	98
3	12	J. D. G. Crampton	26	20	32	24	34	28	....	....	34
4	12	M. E. Philpot	27	18	26	17	27	18	....	....	35
5	12	C. E. Miller and Ass't	65	41	75	52	67	48	....	....	81
6	12	Ellen T. Brady	42	26	53	34	53	37	....	....	53
7	12	Fannie W. Smith	....	....	19	18	24	20	....	...	24
1	13	Hattie A. Rinehart	30	22	36	22	33	22	....	....	44
2	13	B. F. Hildebrand	43	32	52	36	44	35	....	....	61
3	13	M. J. Long	53	40	59	39	49	31	....	....	68
4	13	M. E. Carter and A. B. Bingham	43	34	46	29	34	24	....	....	53
5	13	Rodney T. Glisan	46	30	68	46	55	42	....	....	68
6	13	Addie Spurrier	25	15	25	17	23	16	....	....	31
7	13	C. H. Anders and Ass't	....	....	96	82	95	75	....	....	96
1	14	E T. McBride	19	13	30	20	28	15	....	....	31
2	14	Jno. Nicholas and Ass't	83	65	95	68	89	67	....	....	107
3	14	C. W. Marriott	42	27	52	25	45	23	....	....	53

1	15	Jos. W. Davidson	22	15	34	22	26	17	....	....	35
2	15	Mattie E. Youson	32	22	51	31	41	24	....	....	55
3	15	J. M. Keefer	40	29	49	29	34	23	....	....	52
4	15	Jno. Landers	37	32	43	36	44	41	....	....	46
4	15	Fred'k White	53	37	68	37	58	39	....	....	73
4	15	E. L. Boblitz	49	32	48	28	38	29	....	....	58
5	15	D. C. Weller	43	26	52	25	36	19	....	....	56
6	15	N. J. Gilliss	28	22	46	32	37	24	....	....	55
7	15	Jno. W. Grinder	46	26	65	34	51	28	....	....	68
1	16	Martha V. Easterday	52	33	63	48	57	44	....	....	67
2	16	H. L. Gaver	33	20	54	32	50	32	....	...	59
3	16	M. L. Rice	27	21	36	28	31	22	....	...	37
4	16	G. L. Bitzer and Ass't	52	31	71	53	64	47	....	....	72
5	16	E. A. Anderson and Ass't	71	45	88	67	90	63	....	....	96
6	16	L. M. Kepler	26	19	48	37	46	34	...	....	49
7	16	E. L. Palmer	29	20	42	29	41	24	....	....	43
1	17	A. M. Dawley	41	28	55	38	54	41	...	....	57
2	17	Lottie A. Owings & As't, S. E. Spurrier & As't.	73	44	91	59	70	48	....	....	100
3	17	Sarah Norris	34	22	34	24	33	24	....	....	39
4	17	F. H. Sidwell	24	16	27	15	20	10	...	....	32
5	17	T. W. Sidwell	34	23	34	25	30	20	....	...	40
6	17	Lina Norris	44	34	53	42	48	36	....	...	56
7	17	Nettie M. Rice	24	20	37	28	35	26	....	....	40
			6,134	4,076	7,872	5,247	7,091	4,885	....	....	8,676

FREDERICK COUNTY.—SCHOOL STATISTICS.—*Expenses for year ending September* 30, 1879.

No. of School.	District.	Value of School Property.	Fuel.	Repairs.	Other Incidental Expenses.	Furniture, Black Boards, Stoves.	Cost of Books.	Teachers' Salaries for the year.
1	1	$350 00	$7 50	$16 21	$1 00	$ 3 25	$ 24 57	$307 18
2	1	2,600 00	43 50	30 75	26 33	378 51	132 79	587 58
3	1	300 00	14 22	....	4 10	.....	50 21	268 34
4	1	300 00	14 00	....	4 15	.....	40 46	240 00
5	1	900 00	17 10	2 65	2 55	12 50	41 48	240 00
6	1	600 00	13 92	5 19	7 48	4 25	57 79	236 60
7	1	.....	12 00	....	55	65 13	48 56	222 52
1	2	400 00	8 75	36 37	2 25	.....	45 05	292 22
2	2	150 00	17 93	3 90	2 03	.....	34 10	269 62
3	2	300 00	13 38	5 45	6 30	7 00	41 38	233 69
4	2	450 00	25 50	18	6 03	33 75	6 00	237 10
5	2	300 00	19 65	27 32	....	50	42 21	272 44
6	2	400 00	18 75	3 88	1 60	23 60	52 42	488 18
7	2	700 00	30 29	3 65	6 60	1 00	67 13	458 43
8	2	150 00	17 31	....	70	.....	18 34	235 10
9	2	5,000 00	68 00	8 90	29 30	6 05	127 35	1,288 40
10	2	2,500 00	78 25	28 97	38 83	4 25	110 80	975 00
11	2	9,000 00	109 95	35 51	125 50	61 40	291 50	1,530 00
12	2	.....	23 75	7 58	2 68	.....	85 27	984 31
1	3	400 00	10 00	10	8 34	.. .	24 33	270 00
2	3	800 00	30 05	3 15	5 05	.....	81 20	555 00
3	3	500 00	36 34	11 39	19 77	.....	155 22	817 73
4	3	350 00	14 25	2 08	50	.....	28 93	270 00
5	3	600 00	13 50	75	11 90	24 40	63 19	312 86
6	3	250 00	11 25	28 45	8 89	75	18 43	270 00
7	3	600 00	16 25	....	8 45	35	1 95	240 00
8	3	500 00	13 80	75	5 35	.....	30 51	268 37
9	3	300 00	22 79	1 00	6 90	.....	24 10	270 00
10	3	.....	18 04	..	5 35	7 50	30 48	294 00
1	4	300 00	27 79	3 60	....	75	21 45	313 09
2	4	450 00	25 04	....	2 12	15 00	55 63	277 10
3	4	500 00	28 49	2 75	4 38	.....	30 80	269 05
4	4	800 00	36 38	9 75	3 09	12 59	144 10	656 46
5	4	300 00	21 25	266 03	9 92	.....	24 94	276 19
1	5	200 00	10 50	....	35	.....	4 73	240 00
2	5	300 00	41 83	8 18	72	.....	21 11	240 00
3	5	50 00	33 07	3 63	7 65	25 05	43 85	294 00
3	5	550 00	....	6 13	5 59	.....	28 99	294 00
4	5	300 00	4 59	65	8 45	.....	29 96	262 11
5	5	400 00	11 00	3 25	6 78	.....	14 57	270 00
6	5	250 00	26 57	....	3 39	1 50	14 94	268 37
7	5	400 00	12 57	14 10	3 60	.....	41 08	240 00
8	5	900 00	40 05	....	6 21	.....	35 56	240 00
9	5	400 00	31 47	....	22	.....	16 68	225 00
10	5	400 00	17 26	16 40	1 92	10 61	6 26	240 00
1	6	600 00	14 75	13 90	5 24	.....	50 36	240 00
2	6	200 00	18 55	....	71	.....	20 83	294 00
3	6	300 00	23 75	2 21	4 39	.....	62 22	442 17
4	6	350 00	15 00	20 90	85	.....	3 43	238 55

FREDERICK COUNTY—SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Expenses for year ending September* 30, 1879—Continued.

No. of School.	District.	Value of School Property.	Fuel.	Repairs.	Other Incidental Expenses.	Furniture, Black-Boards, Stoves.	Cost of Books.	Teachers' Salaries for the year.
5	6	$400 00	$21 90	$....	$4 87	$	$29 29	$240 00
6	6	350 00	10 25	2 25	5 25	3 00	33 68	279 00
7	6	350 00	22 84	13 84	2 04	6 70	55 35	238 55
8	6	450 00	14 37	2 58	2 54	90	14 17	315 00
9	6	.....	16 74	....	3 21	1 00	88 58	240 00
1	7	350 00	16 50	5 00	95	.....	32 50	266 73
2	7	350 00	14 45	28 52	7 03	.....	66 20	315 00
3	7	100 00	17 30	1 00	4 81	.....	35 40	289 00
4	7	250 00	20 50	4 10	3 15	.....	62 91	240 00
5	7	800 00	31 50	37	2 47	.....	63 81	270 00
6	7	300 00	7 00	6 50	3 86	.....	29 34	293 35
7	7	600 00	9 25	37	5 03	.....	38 09	292 22
1	8	3,700 00	59 75	2 35	26 07	406 67	106 99	303 60
2	8	500 00	28 56	8 08	19 33	.... .	38 27	268 09
2	8	.....	....	1 00	....	.....	57 08	197 32
3	8	700 00	20 61	60	8 09	.....	19 78	379 00
4	8	300 00	25 75	1 05	1 25	3 50	20 75	237 09
5	8	450 00	18 56	....	5 26	.....	65 15	238 30
6	8	250 00	15 95	. ..	3 21	75	59 57	308 31
1	9	500 00	11 75	3 71	4 17	1 25	51 79	284 66
2	9	250 00	10 76	12 75	5 50	67 47	65 78	237 09
3	9	600 00	32 74	18 36	3 75	14 50	48 87	511 72
4	9	200 00	19 00	1 25	3 51	2 87	32 38	238 55
5	9	350 00	26 00	25	2 97	19 50	34 55	270 00
6	9	1,500 00	12 25	....	83	.....	22 87	270 00
7	9	300 00	10 00	....	11 15	.....	28 42	240 00
8	9	400 00	14 00	....	6 10	.....	36 26	279 00
9	9	300 00	15 00	3 00	1 25	.....	.....	293 00
10	9	300 00	16 06	2 75	5 72	.....	22 27	240 00
11	9	500 00	18 00	20	4 40	.....	41 47	270 00
1	10	700 00	26 04	6 33	3 40	14 41	69 86	554 38
2	10	300 00	20 00	2 74	7 95	1 00	2 10	266 73
3	10	.....	10 50	7 25	1 35	.....	86 10	108 67
4	10	.....	14 00	....	3 75	4 10	10 66	277 57
5	10	250 00	11 50	2 00	5 52	.....	17 79	243 20
1	11	250 00	17 90	3 75	3 82	2 80	54 29	240 00
2	11	350 00	40 54	2 39	3 50	.....	33 74	270 00
3	11	450 00	27 71	2 25	3 80	10 00	39 27	279 00
4	11	400 00	12 00	79 04	....	....	10 99	235 00
5	11	1,000 00	50 86	10 55	8 57	.....	62 67	540 00
6	11	700 00	16 97	2 68	2 69	18 47	50 68	240 00
7	11	700 00	12 25	4 90	2 71	50	67 76	279 00
1	12	150 00	17 97	....	12 91	.....	26 71	240 00
2	12	1,500 00	46 20	7 35	5 24	28 50	44 86	548 52
3	12	450 00	17 85	36	2 82	19 05	38 35	279 00
4	12	50 00	17 00	4 75	6 10	90	9 77	236 85
5	12	100 00	20 65	20 25	1 00	8 35	62 28	340 67
6	12	250 00	15 82	10 07	6 86	9 39	56 47	275 35
7	12	.....	9 00	....	2 20	27 23	32 22	99 00

FREDERICK COUNTY—SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Expenses for year ending September* 30, 1879—Continued.

No. of School.	District.	Value of School Property.	Fuel.	Repairs.	Other Incidental Expenses.	Furniture, Black Boards, Stoves.	Cost of Books.	Teachers' Salaries for the year.
1	13	$600 00	$16 28	$	$ 3 15	$	$12 93	$294 00
2	13	300 00	16 38	....	2 23	.....	15 91	279 00
3	13	400 00	23 38	11 02	4 35	90	46 17	240 00
4	13	400 00	11 00	4 75	....	.....	13 07	285 98
5	13	300 00	12 50	2 50	2 97	.....	22 91	275 20
6	13	.....	11 00	....	32	1 25	5 16	232 65
7	13	1,700 00	34 94	....	4 25	338 95	91 46	246 17
1	14	100 00	11 25	2 05	1 50	.....	9 21	236 87
2	14	1,500 00	38 38	1 61	19 51	6 51	75 61	555 00
3	14	150 00	21 00	32 41	3 04	1 00	23 58	270 00
1	15	300 00	17 87	....	5 00	.....	24 09	270 00
2	15	300 00	18 25	1 25	2 69	.....	24 41	240 00
3	15	350 00	16 50	9 17	7 25	7 32	51 75	236 74
4	15	.....	13 75	....	7 60	.....	43 15	313 09
4	15	400 00	17 08	4 02	6 50	140 62	58 47	315 00
4	15	.....	12 37	...	2 00	.....	16 72	286 20
5	15	600 00	29 36	21 45	6 21	.....	12 41	277 10
6	15	300 00	17 68	1 68	4 00	1 50	44 63	275 62
7	15	300 00	10 56	60	1 23	.....	27 39	240 00
1	16	400 00	22 48	35	92	.....	67 63	240 00
2	16	550 00	19 23	21 37	3 50	3 00	37 20	233 47
3	16	100 00	11 00	3 65	7 19	19 30	24 11	240 00
4	16	1,300 00	45 79	6 48	19 76	5 50	85 21	404 62
5	16	600 00	20 20	9 00	2 69	2 40	112 28	474 25
6	16	400 00	10 50	2 25	3 65	18 50	24 64	270 00
7	16	400 00	16 88	30	93	16	50 08	315 00
1	17	200 00	18 42	4 13	78	10	70 35	313 89
2	17	1,000 00	30 12	1 30	16 94	1 16	55 24	522 11
3	17	250 00	15 08	1 75	20	.....	8 79	268 37
4	17	450 00	17 88	5 48	3 69	.....	27 41	269 08
5	17	50 00	21 79	....	3 96	3 00	28 51	294 00
6	17	.....	15 17	1 12	4 14	3 73	42 40	268 37
7	17	.....	14 30	....	8 48	.....	84 42	187 22
		$73,350 00	$2,770.40	$1,076.89	$826 65	$1,927.40	$5,862.68	$42,321.28

FREDERICK COUNTY—COLORED SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Attendance for year ending June* 30, 1879.

No. of School.	District.	Name of Teacher.	Fall Term.		Winter Term.		Spring Term.		Summer Term.		No. of different pupils for the year.
			On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	
1	1	S. R. Hughes	30	21	45	26	42	28	....	....	48
2	1	Julia A. Whitley	27	25	51	27	31	20	....	....	51
1	2	J. E. Purdy and Ass't	107	63	144	106	134	111	....	....	150
2	2	D. B. Washington and Ass't	132	106	156	136	157	108	....	....	158
3	2	J. B. Washington	18	14	20	15	18	15	...	....	24
1	3	Bettie Colson	16	14	26	21	27	22	....	....	27
2	3	W. A. Thomas	22	17	39	25	34	24	....	...	39
1	4	H. Clappen	22	15	34	20	26	17	....	....	34
1	5	Maggie Agnew	29	21	35	21	32	23	....	....	34
1	7	W. B. Lomax	35	21	50	25	36	26	....	....	58
2	7	N. B. Snowden	31	18	58	29	64	40	....	....	80
3	7	V. G. Johnson	25	18	34	20	29	20	....	....	27
1	8	Martha Penn	33	18	47	28	47	31	....	....	49
2	8	W. H. Mathews	32	20	53	32	53	31	....	....	61
1	9	E. Chambers	32	20	40	28	46	30	....	....	54
2	9	L. J. E. Locks	29	18	47	21	42	26	....	...	48
3	9	E. B. Oram	27	17	42	23	41	22	....	....	51
4	9	J. A. Loud	....	....	30	21	29	22	....	....	34
1	12	M. S. Jackson	35	22	40	20	38	27	....	....	52
2	12	Annie McBrown	29	24	30	26	28	23	....	....	35
3	12	Adelaide Dodson	27	24	38	23	32	25	....	....	41
1	13	E Q. Plummer	36	21	63	42	43	33	.	....	74
1	14	D. R. Hall, W. H Bell	12	6	40	21	39	26	....	....	51
			786	543	1,162	756	1,068	750	....	...	1,280

FREDERICK COUNTY—COLORED SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Expenses for year ending September* 30, 1879.

No. of School.	District.	Rent.	Fuel.	Repairs.	Other Incidental Expenses.	Furniture, Black Boards, Stoves.	Cost of Books.	Teachers' Salaries for the Year.
1	1	$....	$24 28	$....	$3 55	$11 17	$21 08	$180 00
2	1	5 00	10 00	....	20	.....	15 75	176 60
1	2	37 50	21 43	...	65	.....	55 80	420 00
2	2	60 00	37 68	4 50	12 23	13 50	105 34	469 86
3	2	....	8 75	10 81	2 24	6 25	15 73	180 00
1	3	....	13 50	....	6 51	.....	23 84	180 00
*2	3	....	25 68	2 05	6 15	.....	12 48	180 00
1	4	....	26 25	....	1 47	.....	9 04	178 73
1	5	....	17 99	....	....	.....	.....	220 44
1	7	....	4 90	1 50	1 15	.....	10 23	169 94
2	7	10 00	24 95	....	4 83	.....	29 54	162 48
3	7	...	9 75	7 23	....	.....	19 46	178 78
1	8	....	11 75	....	2 51	.....	10 89	173 80
2	8	22 25	17 25	1 25	1 42	.....	33 50	180 00
1	9	9 00	12 50	9 51	1 98	.....	35 65	145 58
2	9	....	11 25	18 37	65	3 59	32 63	180 00
3	9	10 00	15 75	....	25	.....	15 31	177 69
4	9	12 75	14 25	2 30	75	.....	28 31	88 05
1	12	15 00	15 00	....	2 11	.....	4 54	180 00
2	12	....	....	....	4 51	.....	12 50	180 00
3	12	24 00	....	10 50	70	.....	4 45	177 51
1	13	25 00	15 01	1 25	....	.. ...	29 79	176 34
†1	14	....	7 00	5 83	4 94	.....	39 09	178 91
		$230 50	$344 92	$75 10	$58 80	$34 51	$564 95	$4,534 71

* Value of School Property, $350. † Value of School Property, $250.

COLORED SCHOOLS—*Receipts and Disbursements for the year ending September* 30, 1879.

RECEIPTS.

Amount received from State Treasurer	$4,056 52
" " " County School Board	1,228 64
* Book Fees	558 33
	$5,843 49

DISBURSEMENTS.

Paid for Teachers' salaries	$4,534 71	
Incidental expenses	58 80	
Rent	230 50	
Fuel	344 92	
Books and Stationery	564 95	
Repairs	75 10	
Furniture, &c	34 51	
		$5,843 49

* Included in general summary.

FREDERICK COUNTY.—*Statement of Receipts and Disbursements for Public School Purposes, for the Year ending September* 30, 1879.

RECEIPTS.

Balance on hand, September 30, 1878		$1,693 93
State School Tax		23,732 15
State Free School Fund		4,177 03
County School Tax at 10 cents on the $100		25,750 06
Amount of Levy	$25,750 06	
Book Fees		6,823 09
Sales of Books		420 48
State Appropriation to Colored Schools		4,056 52
Sale of old stoves		7 00
" " sites		601 50
Dividend from Fire Insurance		20 20
Amount paid in error		5 00
Net proceeds of note discounted		4,938 67
		$72,225 63

DISBURSEMENTS.

Teachers' Salaries	$ 42,321 28	
Fuel	2,770 40	
Incidental Expenses of Schools	826 65	
Rent	399 23	
Books and Stationery	6,159 70	
Building School Houses	7,262 02	
Repairing "	1,071 89	
Furniture, Black Boards and Stoves	1,927 40	
Interest	507 77	
Salary of Secretary, Treasurer and Examiner	1,400 00	
Per Diem of School Commissioners	400 00	
Office Expenses and Account Books	112 44	
Printing and Advertising	339 90	
Paid to Colored Schools	5,843 49	
Assistant Examiner's Salary	500 00	
Janitor	40 00	
Fire Insurance	50 40	
Balance Cash on Hand	293 06	
		$72,225 63

GARRETT COUNTY.

Prof. M. A. Newell,

Dear Sir: In presenting our annual report of the Public Schools of Garrett County, there is but little to add to the statistical information. The average attendance must appear disproportioned to the enrolment, and a falling off from that of the previous year. In explanation of this, I would say that last winter was regarded as one of the severest known in this section for twenty years, it being at times impossible for the children to reach their schools.

The condition of the Public Schools in our County, and its educational interests generally, are in as satisfactory a condition as could be expected. The County is a large one, and sparsely settled. The poverty of the population, as a general thing, makes it impossible, with the means at our disposal, to bring our county up with the others in the State.

The error in cash balance reported September 30, 1878, arose from the fact of the Collector paying $300 to Treasurer in advance, and which amount should have been credited to levy of 1878–'79.

E. H. BARTLETT,

Secretary.

GARRETT COUNTY—SUMMARY OF SCHOOL STATISTICS.

For the Year ending June 30, 1879.

		1879.	1878.
Number of School Houses—Frame, 78; Brick, 1; Log, 6.....		85	82
Number of Male Teachers (Principals).....		64	57
" Female " "		22	22
" Male " (Assistants).....		3	1
" Female " "		4	5
Total.....		93	85
Number of Fenced Lots.....		5	2
" Schools having Out-buildings.....		11	9
" " having sufficient Black-boards.....		65	56
" " having good Furniture.....		22	18
" Terms Schools were Open.....		2	1
" Different Pupils for the Year—Males....	1,756		
Females..	1,463	3,219	2,918
" Pupils in average attendance—Whites....	1,821		
Colored...	14	1,835	1,855
" Official School Visits paid by Examiner.....		66	15

Number of Pupils.

	Fall Term.	Winter Term.	Spring Term.	Summer Term.
On roll.....	3,061	2,838	....	....
Av. attendance.....	1,886	1,756	....	....

	1879.	1878.
Number of Pupils in 1st Grade December 1.....	874	845
" " " 2d " " 1.....	635	516
" " " 3d " " 1.....	604	493
" " " 4th " " 1.....	453	476
" " " 5th " " 1.....	426	333
" " " 6th " " 1.....	152	222
" " " above 6th " 1.....	7	23
" " " Algebra, 7.		

School Houses Built or Enlarged During the Year.

No. of Schools.	District.	Brick or Frame	Cost.	Length.	Width.	Height.	Square Feet of Black-Board.	Out-Buildings. Yes or No.	Fences. Yes or No.	Cost of Furniture.
12	1	Frame	$250 00	24 ft.	20 ft.	9 ft.	..	No.	No.	*
1	9	"	650 00	50	22	12	200	Yes.	Yes.	$243 58
15	3	"	300 00	30	20	10	..	No.	No.	.....

* Not furnished.

GARRETT COUNTY—SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Attendance for the year ending June* 30, 1879.

No. of School.	District.	Name of Teacher.	Fall Term.		Winter Term.		Spring Term.		Summer Term.		No. of different pupils for the year.
			On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	
1	1	L. M. Schoolfield and Assistant	70	52	63	50	....	....	....	....	70
2	1	R. A. McClintock	19	13	22	12	....	....	....	....	22
3	1	John M. Davis	34	15	42	21	...	....	....	....	42
4	1	J. T. Shaffer	22	13	19	10	....	....	....	....	22
5	1	M. L. Snyder	34	18	32	21	....	....	....	....	34
6	1	Annie M. Walker	40	22	37	22	....	....	....	....	40
7	1	A. C. Hamill	50	30	52	28	....	....	....	....	52
8	1	Nannie Hepburn	43	22	42	26	....	....	...	....	43
9	1	Rufus Enlow	26	16	24	13	....	....	....	...	26
10	1	M. R. Hamill	23	14	24	15	....	....	....	....	24
11	1	H. O. Hamill	....	....	19	13	....	....	....	...	19
12	1	M. Harvey	26	15	28	13	....	....	....	....	28
1	2	J. Dell	38	29	36	27	....	....	....	....	38
2	2	John Steele	49	28	41	20	....	....	....	....	54
3	2	W. W. Griffith	32	21	31	19	....	....	....	....	32
4	2	E. J. Stuck	23	16	22	13	....	....	....	...	23
5	2	George Dunham	34	18	31	19	....	....	....	....	34
6	2	Daniel Umbel	35	23	37	26	....	....	....	....	41
7	2	M. Friend	33	20	31	17	....	....	....	....	34
8	2	Jefferson Guard	58	38	52	38	....	....	....	....	58
9	2	Jennie A. Miller	45	33	35	18	....	...	....	....	48
1	3	J. P. Burbaker and Assistant	91	59	72	53	....	....	....	....	95
2	3	David B. Compton	21	14	18	15	....	....	....	....	21
3	3	W. W. Schlossnagle	26	14	25	14	....	....	....	...	26

4	3	B. C. McAndrews	26	17	21	14	....	....	....	....	26
5	3	J. C. Chaney	35	21	40	28	....	....	....	....	40
6	3	Lizzie Kahl	19	15	20	15	....	....	...	....	21
7	3	James G. Gibson	38	23	38	22	....	....	....	....	38
8	3	P. C. Boucher	24	19	18	14	....	....	....	....	24
9	3	Isaac Hetrick	41	15	25	15	....	...	....	....	41
10	3	Wm. C. Snyder	34	28	34	19	....	....	....	....	34
11	3	A. J. Bevans	32	15	24	13	..	....	....	....	32
12	3	S. K. Welch	34	17	25	14	...	....	....	....	34
13	3	Mollie Cunningham	35	16	31	16	....	....	....	....	35
14	3	Simon Baker	34	19	37	23	....	....	....	...	38
15	3	N. A. Maust	35	26	37	23	....	...	....	...	11
16	3	M. C. McClintock	30	19	28	15	....	....	....	....	31
17	3	Annie E. Maust	25	15	23	16	....	....	....	....	25
1	4	H. M. Kemp and Assistant	77	51	79	51	....	....	...	....	79
2	4	A. E. Fazenbaker	29	16	31	17	....	...	...	....	31
3	4	Mary E. Daugherty	35	25	34	23	....	....	....	....	35
4	4	I. J. Miller and Assistant	106	85	109	95	....	....	....	....	109
5	4	H. C. McGee	35	25	33	19	....	....	....	....	36
6	4	F. P. Green	21	15	21	15	....	....	....	....	22
7	4	Charles A. Murphy	19	15	23	12	....	....	....	....	25
8	4	W. W. Poland	22	15	20	15	....	....	....	....	22
1	5	Daemerit Umbell and Assistant	83	52	72	51	....	....	....	....	85
2	5	J. W. Frazee	34	21	30	15	....	....	....	....	35
3	5	M Muhlenberg	34	16	34	15	....	...	....	....	35
4	5	Peter Royer	33	14	37	18	....	....	....	....	37
5	5	A. M. Swalp	46	28	34	22	...	....	....	....	46
6	5	R. F. Liston	29	16	25	14	....	....	....	....	29
7	5	Thomas Welch	33	28	27	18	....	....	....	....	33
8	5	V. A. Ringer	22	15	20	14	....	....	....	....	22
1	6	A. S. Spear	24	15	28	15	....	....	....	....	28
2	6	S. P. Specht	46	29	45	30	....	....	....	....	46
3	6	H. R. Dewitt	58	31	44	25	....	....	....	...	60
4	6	Harry Hagan	26	16	29	15	....	....	...	....	29
5	6	Lou. A. Garner	25	14	18	12	....	....	....	....	25
6	6	E. A. Browning	15	10	18	10	....	....	....	....	18

GARRETT COUNTY—SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Attendance for the year ending June* 30, 1879—Continued.

No. of School.	District.	Name of Teacher.	Fall Term. On Roll.	Fall Term. Average daily attendance.	Winter Term. On Roll.	Winter Term. Average daily attendance.	Spring Term. On Roll.	Spring Term. Average daily attendance.	Summer Term. On Roll.	Summer Term. Average daily attendance.	No. of different pupils for the Year.
7	6	F. B. Casteel	20	14	20	14	....	....	....	....	20
8	6	E. Vulow and E. F. Dewitt	35	19	44	19	....	....	....	....	44
1	7	J. T. Mitchell and Assistants	164	100	150	97	...	....	....	....	198
2	7	Eph. Lee	41	26	33	24	....	....	....	....	42
3	7	William H. Speicher	35	13	30	14	....	....	..	....	36
4	7	Eva F. Riggs	42	26	30	17	....	....	....	....	42
5	7	H. S. White	57	25	55	32	....	....	....	....	60
6	7	George T. Porter	30	16	25	16	....	....	....	...	30
7	7	A. E. Gibson	37	17	30	10	....	....	....	....	37
8	7	William H. White	26	16	25	15	....	....	....	....	26
1	8	W. B. Hutson	46	26	47	27	....	...	....	....	47
2	8	M. L. Murphy and James Mason	21	15	22	15	....	....	....	....	22
3	8	Daniel A. Turney	25	17	25	16	....	....	...	....	27
4	8	F. M. Conneway	19	17	19	16	....	....	....	....	20
5	8	Lloyd Heckert	38	16	34	16	....	....	....	....	38
6	8	J. F. Ashby	31	15	25	11	....	....	....	....	31
7	8	Levi McClintock	27	15	27	13	....	....	....	....	28
8	8	Arthur Ashby	30	21	30	18	....	....	....	....	30
9	8	C. L. Paugh	27	18	23	15	....	...	....	....	27
10	8	Emily Coad	18	12	19	12	....	....	....	....	19
1	9	George G McKay and Assistant	51	29	34	17	....	...	....	...	52
2	9	H. W Krechman	30	17	20	15	....	....	....	....	30
3	9	T. Brown	22	15	24	16	....	...	....	....	26
4	9	H. S. Boucher	23	21	....	....	....	....	....	....	23
			3061	1886	2838	1756	....	....	....	....	3198
		Colored School.									
1	7	Isabella Davis	21	15	19	13	...	....	....	....	21

GARRETT COUNTY—SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Expenses for Year ending September* 30, 1879.

No. of Schools.	District.	Rent.	Fuel.	Repairs.	Other Incidental Expenses.	Furniture, Black Boards, Stoves.	Teachers' Salaries for the Year.	Receipts from Books.
1	1	$....	$9 00	$3 75	$2 10	$.....	$425 00	$19 64
2	1	....	8 32	....	3 50	.....	125 00	3 28
3	1	....	4 80	....	4 30	.....	125 00	2 85
4	1	....	10 00	...	60	.....	117 92	72
5	1	....	8 50	....	2 68	.....	125 00	13 13
6	1	....	6 00	....	6 50	.....	125 00	8 39
7	1	....	4 96	...	40	.....	106 13	2 90
8	1	10 00	10 00	30	....	.....	125 00	.....
9	1	...	11 25	....	.. .	.....	112 02	.....
10	1	....	7 00	21 96	....	.....	104 95	2 49
11	1	....	4 50	2 00	1 50	.....	62 50	2 57
12	1	....	4 00	....	....	.....	73 10	4 84
1	2	....	11 00	....	2 35	.....	150 00	6 59
2	2	....	5 20	....	4 95	.....	125 00	2 92
3	2	....	6 90	....	3 80	.....	150 00	9 65
4	2	....	10 08	1 00	3 90	.....	125 00	6 67
5	2	....	7 30	....	5 82	.....	125 00	6 45
6	2	...	12 00	....	1 40	.....	125 00	3 30
7	2	....	8 37	....	1 30	.....	107 30	1 70
8	2	....	6 40	...	3 95	.....	152 83	5 10
9	2	....	4 02	....	....	.....	99 05	6 25
1	3	....	23 34	55 40	18 40	32 00	425 00	2 20
2	3	....	2 00	4 40	2 85	.....	69 57	90
3	3	....	8 12	....	....	.....	121 46	. ....
4	3	15 00	10 00	....	1 80	.....	125 00	.....
5	3	....	5 00	6 00	4 10	.....	125 00	12 78
6	3	....	8 50	....	3 10	4 00	100 23	4 06
7	3	7 00	6 00	....	....	.....	100 23	.....
8	3	....	7 50	50	2 85	.....	125 00	74
9	3	...	9 37	....	2 30	.....	115 56	2 47
10	3	....	5 20	....	45	.....	101 40	.....
11	3	....	4 00	....	...	.....	90 80	.....
12	3	....	6 80	....	....	.....	125 00	3 85
13	3	....	13 37	...	....	.....	124 98	3 40
14	3	....	7 00	....	75	.....	125 00	3 72
15	3	10 00	14 00	....	1 80	.....	123 82	1 30
16	3	9 00	9 60	....	40	.....	118 50	.....
17	3	....	5 00	....	....	.....	106 13	2 87
1	4	....	7 70	3 00	1 50	.....	420 50	11 33
2	4	....	6 00	....	....	.....	109 67	4 05
3	4	....	6 00	....	2 00	.....	121 46	.....
4	4	....	12 40	....	3 45	.....	425 00	33 16
5	4	10 00	6 50	....	....	.....	121 46	7 93
6	4	3 50	3 25	....	1 00	.....	110 85	.....
7	4	8 00	10 50	...	50	.....	94 33	.....
8	4	....	6 00	...	25	.....	101 41	.....
1	5	....	20 70	....	2 60	.....	425 00	16 23
2	5	....	10 87	7 41	1 70	.....	109 67	9 42
3	5	....	11 00	....	2 97	.....	125 00	.....

GARRETT COUNTY—SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Expenses for year ending September* 30, 1879—Continued.

No. of School.	District.	Rent.	Fuel.	Repairs.	Other Incidental Expenses.	Furniture, Black Boards, Stoves.	Teachers' Salaries for the Year.	Receipts from Books.
4	5	$	$12 00	$2 00	$....	$....	$ 117 92	$ 5 30
5	5	10 00	12 55	....	1 05	....	125 00	13 00
6	5	....	9 10	....	3 15	....	125 00	6 73
7	5	....	10 00	....	....	....	107 30	3 40
8	5	....	7 50	....	70	....	125 00	.....
1	6	10 00	16 65	2 30	40	....	125 00	5 69
2	6	10 00	14 00	....	25	....	125 00	6 85
3	6	....	7 30	....	68	....	125 00	.....
4	6	....	11 25	78	35	....	115 42	.....
5	6	....	12 00	....	65	....	125 00	68
6	6	....	7 50	6 00	....	....	73 11	1 60
7	6	3 50	4 50	1 35	....	....	86 07	6 16
8	6	5 00	7 80	....	1 55	....	112 02	.....
1	7	....	14 68	24 30	25 50	16 00	575 00	.....
2	7	....	14 00	93	....	....	145 75	16 80
3	7	....	4 50	....	....	....	120 28	5 01
4	7	....	8 00	....	2 00	...	119 11	....
5	7	....	8 47	...	1 40	...	114 38	.....
6	7	....	10 00	...	....	....	121 46	.....
7	7	....	10 00	....	1 50	....	116 75	.....
8	7	....	11 00	4 00	2 00	....	121 46	2 34
1	8	....	5 50	7 00	25	....	119 10	.....
2	8	....	10 00	50	....	....	119 10	.....
3	8	....	5 00	...	....	....	97 87	4 09
4	8	....	8 00	50	1 00	....	113 20	8 90
5	8	25 00	10 00	....	....	....	125 00	3 30
6	8	...	8 44	....	1 00	....	99 05	2 94
7	8	....	10 00	....	75	....	125 00	.....
8	8	....	5 25	....	....	....	110 85	12 13
9	8	....	15 00	....	....	....	125 00	.....
10	8	10 00	5 00	2 00	....	....	93 15	1 40
1	9	....	3 75	....	80	....	278 54	2 84
2	9	5 75	9 00	50	....	....	84 90	.....
3	9	10 00	8 00	....	2 35	....	110 85	7 99
4	9	....	3 00	...	30	....	44 80	1 95
		$161 75	$724 06	$157 88	$151 45	$52 00	$11,740 27	$348 95
*1	7	10 00	5 00	....	....	....	106 48	9 75

* Colored School.

GARRETT COUNTY—*Statement of Receipts and Disbursements for Public School Purposes, for the year ending September* 30, 1879.

RECEIPTS.

Balance on hand, September 30, 1878		$1,305 45
State School Tax		4,099 34
State Free School Fund		1,211 94
County School Tax at .. Cents on $100		8,500 00
Amount of Levy	$8,500 00	
Book Fees		56 68
Loan from P. P. Lohr		2,400 00
		$17,573 41

DISBURSEMENTS.

Teachers' Salaries	$ 10,231 35	
Fuel	599 39	
Incidental Expenses of Schools	218 74	
Rent	121 50	
Books and Stationery	388 62	
Building School Houses	1,000 89	
Repairing "	171 88	
Furniture, Black Boards and Stoves	747 74	
Interest and Discount	750 19	
Salary of Secretary, Treasurer and Examiner	800 00	
Per Diem of School Commissioners	366 08	
Office Expenses and Account Books	143 90	
Printing and Advertising	82 25	
Paid to Colored Schools (included above) $111 73		
Freight on Books and Furniture	85 85	
For Educational Convention	50 00	
For State Teachers' Association	10 00	
Sundries	30 02	
Note D. E. Offutt	222 37	
Error in Cash Balance reported September 30, 1878	300 00	
Balance Cash on Hand	1,252 64	
		$17,573 41

COLORED SCHOOLS.—*Receipts and Disbursements for the year ending September* 30, 1879.

RECEIPTS.

Amount Received from County School Board		$111 73
		$111 73

DISBURSEMENTS.

Paid for Teachers' Salaries	$ 96 73	
Rent	10 00	
Fuel	5 00	
		$111 73

HARFORD COUNTY.

Prof. M. A. Newell,

DEAR SIR: I present herewith the annual report of the Public Schools of Harford County for the year ending September 30, 1879.

The Board closed eight schools during the past year, which, together with the fact that Scarlet Fever and Measles prevailed in some sections of the County has reduced the number enrolled somewhat. This decrease will, however, be more than made up during the coming year.

Three new houses, as noted in the last report, were finished about January 1st, 1879, being the first building done since the present Board came into office, January 1, 1876. We are greatly in need of several new houses now, but the County Commissioners declined to levy more than 12 cents for the schools, and so the houses could not be erected.

The money levied by the County is never paid promptly, and this causes much inconvenience and prevents the Board from running strictly upon a cash basis.

On September 30, 1879, there was in the hands of collectors, over-due and unpaid, the sum of $7,774.49. The Board, upon the same date, owed upon certificates of indebtedness to teachers, $3,079.78, upon notes for books, $1,258.89, and for building and furniture, $1,665.59, in all $6,004.26; to the former must be added the cash balance $257.46, and then it will be seen that the assets of the Board exceed its liabilities by $2,027.69.

The Board started in 1876 with an indebtedness of over $30,000.00, of which the County paid $27,325.78. The balance of this indebtedness has been paid, and the schools run 3½ terms during the past two years upon a County levy of 10 cents in 1876 and 12 cents in 1877 and 1878, (the extra 1½ cents in 1878 being for building,) while upon a levy of 15 cents during previous years the schools were open only 3 terms, and then the Board was constantly getting more deeply into debt.

Our last institute, held September 1st to 5th, showed that our corps of teachers is composed of intelligent men and women, who realize the defects which are injuring our schools, and are doing their best to co-operate with the Board and the Examiner in making the schools as effective as possible.

Very respectfully,

W. H. HARLAN, *Secretary.*

HARFORD COUNTY—SUMMARY OF SCHOOL STATISTICS

For Year Ending June 30, 1879.

	1879.	1878.
Number of School Houses—Frame 78; Brick, 7; Stone, 9...	94	98
" " Male Teachers, (Principals).....	47	54
" " Female " "	60	59
" " Male " (Assistants).....	3	7
" " Female " "	15	12
Total.....	125	132
Number of Fenced Lots.....	57	23
" " Schools having Out-buildings.	61	55
" " " " sufficient Black-boards.....	76	..
" " " " good Furniture.....	66	74
" " Terms Schools were open	3½	3½
" " different Pupils for the year—Males.....2,801		
Females.....2,098		
Total—White.....4,208		
Colored.. 691	4,899	5,070
" " Pupils in average attendance—White.....1,822		
Colored 316		
	2,138	2,241
" " Official School Visits paid by Examiner.....	99	87
Average enrollment—White..... 2,707		
Colored..... 491		
	3,198	3,295

Number of Pupils.

	Fall Term.		Winter Term.		Spring Term.		Summer Term.	
	1879.	1878.	1879.	1878.	1879.	1878.	1879.	1878.
On Roll.....	2,755	2,897	3,786	3,972	3,616	3,818	2,045	2,026
Av. attendance...	1,875	1,953	2,371	2,535	2,469	2,605	1,519	1,601

	1878			1879		
	White.	Col'd.	Total.	White.	Col'd.	Total.
Number Pupils in 1st Grade Dec. 1..	387	184	571	309	162	471
" " 2d " " 1..	404	122	526	347	120	467
" " 3d " " 1..	480	112	592	442	97	539
" " 4th " " 1..	714	110	824	694	112	806
" " 5th " " 1..	629	59	688	638	74	712
" " 6th " " 1..	628	19	647	672	13	685
" "above 6th " " 1..	124	...	124	106	...	106
	3,366	606	3,972	3,208	578	3,786

" " in Book keeping, 40; Algebra, 125; Philosophy, 81; Geometry, 92; Physiology, 63; Latin, 26

School Houses Built or Enlarged during the Year.

No. of School.	District.	Brick or Frame.	Cost.	Length.	Width.	Height.	Square Feet of Blackboard.	Out-Buildings, Yes or No.	Fences, Yes or No.	Cost of Furniture
4	1	Frame.	$823 65	44½	24	13	205	Yes.	No.	$164 63
*3	2	Stone.	284 03	32	24	12	14	Yes.	No.	103 60
5	5	Frame.	714 42	44½	24	13	149	Yes.	Yes.	163 17
10	5	"	668 81	32½	24	13	77	Yes.	Yes.	110 32
			$2,490 91							$541 74

* Enlarged.

HARFORD COUNTY—SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Attendance for the year ending June* 30, 1879.

No. of School.	District.	Name of Teacher.	Fall Term.		Winter Term.		Spring Term.		Summer Term.		No. of different pupils for the year
			On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	
1	1	Frank Davis and Fannie E. Parker, Ass't..	38	27	56	38	55	40	34	28	63
2	1	M. Florence Beeman	34	16	63	33	54	33	25	14	71
3	1	Jacob A. Paulus	39	24	44	23	41	23	....	....	....
3	1	Allen B. Quinan	....	....	...	....	....	....	19	10	65
4	1	Agnes E. Bradley	....	....	45	33	56	39	23	13	62
6	1	Alfred J. Brown	52	39	....	....	....	....	....	...	...
6	1	Patrick Donnelly	....	....	55	38	46	34	32	23	65
7	1	Robert Henry	25	18	35	23	....	....	....	....	....
7	1	Kezia J. Evans	...	....	....	....	34	25	29	23	45
10	1	Mary E. Wells	18	11	25	15	23	13	15	10	28
11	1	Emma A. Nicholson	29	20	25	11	20	12	20	14	41
1	2	Eliza E. Baird	24	16	34	20	37	22	21	15	52
2	2	George W. Nichols	45	30	45	31	42	31	24	20	58
3	2	Sallie R. Smith, Sallie E. Kennedy, Ass't	33	15	64	43	62	39	33	20	75
4	2	Mary P. Hendon	18	12	26	17	26	19	19	14	32
5	2	Sallie P. Galloway	26	19	36	26	33	27	30	21	37
6	2	Emma C. Brown	17	7	24	7	17	9	18	14	33
7	2	Emma L. Middendorf	13	7	17	11	23	15	11	9	23
8	2	Sallie E. Kennedy	10	6	14	5	....	....	....	....	....
8	2	M. Frances Winter	....	....	....	....	....	....	16	8	24
9	2	Ava J. Bailey	12	6	10	5	9	4	8	6	18
10	2	Mary E. Chase	42	22	57	34	44	30	20	17	63
11	2	Maggie E Hood	14	7	29	16	32	19	21	16	47
12	2	Lidie E. Miller	17	10	29	17	33	23	18	12	39
13	2	S. Lizzie Adams	31	24	32	25	32	25	31	28	39

14	2	Annie S. Hetrich	16	6	25	13	25	13	10	7	32
15	2	Ellie J. Galbreath	26	16	34	22	28	19	24	16	42
16	2	Laura B. Tammany	16	10	16	13	20	13	14	9	28
1	3	M. Emma Norris, Cornelia Hardisty, Ass't.	40	27	57	35	54	36	33	26	73
2	3	Maggie Offley	49	32	48	27	48	33	36	27	69
3	3	Rebecca P. Guyton	25	15	38	20	34	22	18	11	46
4	3	R. Annie Ambler	18	13	24	18	24	20	14	11	32
5	3	J. O. E. Wetherill, Mollie E. Gilbert, Ass't.	68	49	75	54	73	52	50	37	93
6	3	John H. Barrow	44	32	40	22	49	24	42	32	75
7	3	Clara Hetrick	27	17	39	20	37	22	18	14	45
8	3	John W. Carter	43	30	50	29	54	35	30	24	79
9	3	Sallie E. Carter	15	7	17	10	22	15	18	14	24
10	3	Annie M. E. Mitchell	34	26	41	27	46	31	29	20	59
11	3	Wm. L. Cavender	29	18	41	23	41	27	19	16	54
12	3	Edwin Williamson	31	20	53	30	45	28	25	20	65
13	3	Fannie E. Parker	23	13	19	11	....	....	....	...	....
13	3	Laura M. Stonebraker	....	....	....	....	24	15	20	14	32
		Wm. Logan Baird, Bel Air Graded School.	103	79	119	90	121	93	100	81	134
		John D. Worthington, " "	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
		Gertrude Richardson, " "	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
		S. Susie Mitchell, " "	....	....	....	....	....	...	....	....	....
1	4	Alfred J. Brown, Theresa O. Glenn, Ass't.	....	....	65	43	73	52	58	40	90
2	4	Wm. A. Wheeler	24	16	39	28	33	27	18	16	45
3	4	Emma L. Smith	22	16	32	22	35	23	19	16	47
4	4	Rebecca C. Heaps	20	16	22	16	....	....	...	....	....
4	4	M. Alice Gornel	....	...	....	....	26	15	22	16	37
5	4	Henrietta M. Rutledge	36	27	36	22	40	26	31	22	57
6	4	J. Egbert Smith	38	24	43	27	56	37	36	29	70
7	4	Agnes E. Bradley	2	1	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
7	4	Jeannette V. Nelson	....	....	32	27	20	16	....	....	....
7	4	Lottie E. Berry	....	....	....	....	....	....	15	11	37
8	4	Thos. M. Cathcart	33	23	43	25	47	32	35	26	64
9	4	L. Annie Strawbridge	18	13	23	13	29	15	22	17	37
10	4	Emma F. Welsh	17	7	24	13	31	21	20	15	35
11	4	D. W. C. Bradley	31	21	48	31	37	22	....	....	....
11	4	Frank A. Brown	....	....	....	....	....	...	13	8	54

HARFORD COUNTY—SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Attendance for the year ending June* 30, 1879—Continued.

No. of School.	District.	Name of Teacher.	Fall Term. On Roll.	Fall Term. Average daily attendance.	Winter Term. On Roll.	Winter Term. Average daily attendance.	Spring Term. On Roll.	Spring Term. Average daily attendance.	Summer Term. On Roll.	Summer Term. Average daily attendance.	No. of different pupils for the year.
12	4	Andrew N. Kirkwood	22	12	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
12	4	Alice A. Harvey	....	....	38	18	35	22	17	10	46
13	4	F. Lizzie Quinby	20	17	32	21	27	19	17	10	32
14	4	Laura Oldfield	35	22	24	15	23	15	21	19	46
15	4	Sallie E. St. Clair	25	15	33	18	36	17	21	13	44
16	4	Laura A. Bradley	20	14	34	22	33	22	19	15	37
18	4	Annie G Gailey	25	16	37	21	30	21	17	13	44
19	4	Mary V. Tarbert	33	24	30	19	23	16	17	13	43
20	4	Clara A. Smith	17	10	26	11	17	9	....	....	32
21	4	Noble L. Mitchell	25	19	34	21	41	27	32	25	53
22	4	Ella Webb	40	31	42	27	31	23	28	19	59
1	5	Mary J. Whiteford	19	16	24	19	24	17	22	18	29
2	5	Wm. E. Horny	19	7	28	17	25	17	13	9	33
3	5	N. Oscar Stokes	32	27	54	37	46	30	35	29	67
4	5	K. Lizzie Scarborough	30	23	36	26	34	23	....	...	59
5	5	Millard F Bennington, Reb'a C. Heaps, Ass't.	....	....	64	47	66	48	34	22	84
6	5	John W. Burkins	42	30	42	28	46	27	28	22	63
7	5	Laura Thomas	28	20	42	27	42	29	28	19	50
8	5	A Finney Galbreath	19	11	....	....	...	....	....	....	....
8	5	J. Martin McNabb	....	....	30	20	30	26	18	12	34
9	5	Wm. H. K. Jones	31	23	51	32	49	32	26	22	76
10	5	J Hudson Pyle	....	....	23	19	26	18	7	6	26
11	5	Jno. B Scarborough, Mary Scarborough, As't	45	32	65	43	58	36	30	19	73
12	5	Hezekiah S. Huff	29	21	37	26	32	21	16	12	52

13	5	James W. McNabb		35	25	43	26	42	26	32	26	66
14	5	J. Martin McNabb		28	20	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
14	5	Clara J. McNutt		....	....	24	10	18	12	....	....	....
14	5	Fannie E. Parker		....	....	....	....	....	....	19	15	49
15	5	Charles L. Dallam		60	43	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
15	5	A. Finney Galbreath		....	....	74	41	67	45	66	53	88
15	5	Etta H. Wilson, Assistant		....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
16	5	Sallie C. Watters		17	12	16	10	16	8	11	7	28
		George Jackson	Havre de Grace High School.	279	207	317	233	307	233	215	161	360
		Robert W. Eubank		....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
		Charles T. Wilson		....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
		Mary Gibson		....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
		Mattie M. Offley		....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
		Mary E. Barnes		....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
		Libbie C. Chamberlain		....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
				2360	1607	3208	2056	3115	2105	2045	1519	4208

HARFORD COUNTY—SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Expenses for year ending September* 30, 1879.

No. of School.	District.	Value of School Property.	Fuel.	Repairs.	Other Incidental Expenses.	Furniture, Black-Boards, Stoves.	Cost of Books.	Teachers' Salaries for the year.
1	1	$800 00	$24 62	$11 52	$ 25	$.....	$63 42	$327 74
2	1	1,000 00	22 25	1 28	15	.....	51 03	260 26
3	1	1,000 00	36 00	25 50	1 20	14 00	6 93	289 50
4	1	1,000 00	21 11	....	6 84	156 28	93 99	160 42
6	1	900 00	34 08	30 72	2 33	.....	60 80	333 60
7	1	900 00	34 09	28 18	40	.....	29 77	275 93
10	1	700 00	21 00	....	1 00	1 00	7 91	207 45
11	1	.....	5 00	....	25	.....	19 15	220 68
1	2	900 00	27 62	23 05	2 66	2 25	13 14	273 92
2	2	.....	19 25	....	60	75	44 18	340 50
3	2	800 00	21 50	286 76	2 00	103 60	60 36	327 25
4	2	250 00	15 75	....	3 90	10 95	13 45	257 40
5	2	.....	35 00	....	....	9 45	14 01	309 58
6	2	.....	4 85	....	2 90	1 34	6 67	210 00
7	2	.....	6 00	14 00	30	15	4 41	208 73
8	2	.....	21 00	....	48	.....	9 26	117 05
9	2	.....	8 00	....	85	10	4 61	206 78
10	2	.....	17 50	....	3 41	8 50	13 89	302 25
11	2	300 00	19 00	21 76	....	3 45	16 03	206 42
12	2	600 00	21 50	18 61	35	2 75	42 82	219 00
13	2	700 00	27 75	12 31	2 30	5 54	28 11	278 36
14	2	.....	20 75	5	....	1 97	17 91	243 57
15	2	250 00	28 75	1 20	2 10	.....	57 73	230 15
16	2	.....	18 50	1 75	25	.....	13 85	210 00
1	3	600 00	36 00	2 25	6 50	.....	34 95	423 81
2	3	1,000 00	37 00	2 50	43	10	55 71	342 37
3	3	.....	20 50	1 00	1 93	.....	24 43	230 80
4	3	350 00	36 50	5 20	1 40	.....	24 57	262 35
5	3	800 00	38 25	21 42	61	75	103 39	376 23
6	3	250 00	18 00	3 25	2 18	1 25	56 79	273 83
7	3	500 00	23 75	19 50	30	.....	26 18	239 83
8	3	900 00	24 00	38 39	92	.....	113 57	245 00
9	3	600 00	35 00	2 16	67	35	4 99	210 42
10	3	1,000 00	37 75	....	2 22	7 00	40 58	325 19
11	3	900 00	26 25	85	1 16	90	44 81	263 92
12	3	400 00	21 00	1 25	4 05	8 65	76 89	300 58
13	3	.....	17 63	. ..	99	20 69	32 73	204 31
*		1,500 00	89 75	17 00	43 85	.....	94 84	2,187 50
1	4	1,000 00	16 49	1 10	90	.....	60 49	364 75
2	4	900 00	21 42	19 63	6 11	41 00	35 15	254 00
3	4	350 00	20 42	36 92	88	.....	17 86	245 44
4	4	200 00	11 25	50	1 50	.....	22 90	205 08
5	4	400 00	21 75	2 20	1 09	25	32 48	272 05
6	4	600 00	20 00	50	2 24	.....	34 88	314 28
7	4	600 00	13 50	3 67	....	65	18 72	183 75
8	4	800 00	21 92	....	25	.....	23 85	320 96
9	4	.....	12 75	....	4 10	.....	9 60	210 00
10	4	350 00	10 25	....	2 94	2 50	35 87	207 02
11	4	400 00	13 22	...	10	.....	18 22	242 11

* Bel Air Graded School.

HARFORD COUNTY—SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Expenses for year ending September* 30, 1879—Continued.

No. of School.	District.	Value of School Property.	Fuel.	Repairs.	Other Incidental Expenses.	Furniture, Black Boards, Stoves.	Cost of Books.	Teachers' Salaries for the year.
12	4	$ 900 00	$10 00	$	$ 90	$ 1 50	$16 32	$ 224 90
13	4	300 00	34 60	18 98	1 99	.....	79 26	221 54
14	4	500 00	17 00	36 93	49	.....	24 28	265 45
15	4	300 00	6 00	15 12	....	.....	22 82	222 12
16	4	800 00	24 00	55	70	1 60	28 55	241 60
18	4	350 00	7 15	36 59	25	6 20	48 35	210 00
19	4	500 00	23 00	94	25	6 20	16 94	240 04
20	4	500 00	27 00	....	47	25	6 90	150 00
21	4	1,000 00	22 50	23 15	1 25	5 03	16 74	261 61
22	4	.....	20 92	....	50	1 18	35 32	270 78
1	5	250 00	18 50	3 70	....	40	8 67	228 40
2	5	.....	12 00	93	64	.....	13 05	210 00
3	5	800 00	24 40	43 13	98	.....	34 89	341 68
4	5	400 00	12 75	3 25	2 78	.....	95 84	210 00
5	5	1,000 00	13 75	3 90	1 40	155 17	163 95	223 78
6	5	1,000 00	21 90	95	39	14 50	58 68	312 50
7	5	500 00	15 00	25	....	.....	86 49	311 08
8	5	350 00	17 75	4 46	25	.. ..	27 31	264 68
9	5	800 00	18 25	75	1 25	.....	43 33	245 00
10	5	900 00	20 00	....	90	100 32	12 25	159 32
11	5	500 00	16 75	11 55	90	.....	96 52	436 14
12	5	350 00	22 75	3 25	3 60	.....	92 88	293 99
13	5	600 00	16 25	3 65	45	.....	47 42	280 00
14	5	600 00	17 71	12 03	1 34	16 20	32 51	225 92
15	5	.....	43 39	5 75	15 95	.....	100 83	910 00
16	5	800 00	18 52	....	25	.....	4 78	210 00
†		.....	75 90	75	67 86	3 05	294 33	3,675 00
			$1,732 96	$886 54	$227 49	$717 77	$3,247 09	$25,558 65

† Havre de Grace High School.

HARFORD COUNTY—COLORED SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Attendance for the year ending June* 30, 1879.

No. of School.	District.	Name of Teacher.	Fall Term.		Winter Term.		Spring Term.		Summer Term.		No. of different pupils for the year.
			On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	
1	1	Rachel Neal	25	19	37	21	22	17	....	....	38
2	1	Lula A. James	27	19	51	25	45	30	....	....	60
1	2	Thomas H. Murray	20	12	56	26	48	34	....	....	63
2	2	Alleyne B. Wilson	41	25	....	....	...	....	....	....	41
1	3	Rich'd H. Neal	28	21	33	23	30	25	....	....	39
2	3	N. F. Hughes	22	14	25	14	26	17	....	....	26
3	3	S. B. Gibson	27	16	48	26	32	21	....	....	44
4	3	Jacob S Smith	19	10	46	25	41	34	....	....	47
5	3	Hannah Dangerfield	30	21	38	23	42	29	....	....	53
1	4	Henrietta Young	12	8	29	14	28	21	....	....	31
2	4	Eliza G Bradley	14	11	33	15	32	21	....	....	38
3	4	Wm. H Cooper	21	11	30	15	21	12	....	....	31
1	5	Jared W. Ford	22	13	40	25	39	27	....	....	46
2	5	Miles Tucker	17	11	....	....	...	....	....	....	17
3	5	Mary E. Williams	23	23	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
3	5	Miles Tucker	....	...	40	16	29	21	....	....	45
1	6	H. H. Hughes, Cynthia Robinson, Ass't	45	34	72	47	66	55	...	....	72
			393	268	578	315	501	364	....	....	691

HARFORD COUNTY—COLORED SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Expenses for the year ending September* 30, 1879.

No. of School.	District.	Fuel.	Repairs.	Other Incidental Expenses.	Furniture, Black Boards, Stoves.	Cost of Books.	Teachers' Salaries for the Year.	Receipts from Books.
1	1	$16 00	$....	$1 15	$....	$23 19	$153 63	$17 16
2	1	15 00	....	....	....	11 62	165 46	31 25
1	2	26 50	64	33	3 20	30 26	165 46	37 00
2	2	9 00	....	....	12 90	24 68	34 27	7 34
1	3	23 00	4 52	75	....	20 47	220 09	24 74
2	3	18 52	85	50	....	11 23	165 46	28 22
3	3	10 50	10 00	25	....	19 43	164 16	34 21
4	3	16 50	81	92	....	24 19	165 46	30 54
5	3	11 38	....	....	....	19 65	165 46	40 05
1	4	12 00	....	50	....	9 42	165 46	29 09
2	4	14 25	....	45	....	8 01	165 46	31 62
3	4	8 75	....	....	....	6 29	158 36	22 01
1	5	14 75	....	80	....	26 63	165 46	29 81
2	5	13 75	....	18	....	.....	35 46	3 92
*3	5	13 75	...	....	75	31 67	159 54	28 93
1	6	21 20	3 10	40	14 55	25 02	306 23	77 57
		$244 85	$19 92	$6 23	$31 40	$291 76	$2,555 42	$473 46

* Value of School Property, $200.00.

COLORED SCHOOLS—*Receipts and Disbursements for the Year ending September* 30, 1879.

Receipts.		Disbursements.	
Amount received from State Treasurer	$2,945 72	Paid for Teachers' Salaries.	$2,555 42
Amount received from County School Board	109 87	Incidental Expenses	6 23
Amount received from Book Fees	473 46	Rent	55 00
Excess of disbursements over receipts	75 53	Fuel	244 85
Total indebtedness of Colored to White Fund, $465 29.		Books and Stationery	291 76
		Other purposes	451 32
	$3,604 58		$3,604 58

HARFORD COUNTY.—*Statement of Receipts and Disbursements for Public School Purposes, for the Year ending September* 30, 1879.

RECEIPTS.

Balance on hand September 30, 1878		$ 645 72
State School Tax		12,021 57
State Free School Fund		1,818 02
State Donations		300 00
County School Tax at 13½ cents on the $100		9,003 82
Amount of levy	$16,629.89.	
Fines and Forfeitures		20 00
Book Fees—White Schools	$4,931 42	
" Colored "	473 46	5,404 88
State Appropriation to Colored Schools		2,945 72
From levy of 1876		918 12
" " 1877		5,144 82
" J. A. C. Gailey for old property		25 00
" J. D. Everett " "		12 50
" Ducking Licenses		82 36
" Note given Phœnix Building Association		1,000 00
" Interest paid by Collectors		781 50
" A. J Wiley, costs of suit		13 55
" John Q. A. McConkey for damage to desks on his boat		6 90
" Jas. A. Fulton, clerk, on levy for 1879		294 42
		$40,438 90

DISBURSEMENTS.

Teachers' Salaries	$24,454 84	
Fuel	1,805 81	
Incidental Expenses of Schools	227 49	
Rent	974 98	
Books and Stationery	2,153 40	
Building School Houses	1,137 02	
Repairing "	736 54	
Furniture, Black Boards and Stoves	733 22	
Interest and Discount	116 70	
Salary of Secretary, Treasurer and Examiner	1,000 00	
Per Diem of School Commissioners	300 00	
Office Expenses and Account Books	216 42	
Printing and Advertising	367 50	
Paid to Colored Schools	3,604 58	
" State Teachers' Association	10 00	
" Library Fund No. 2, 2d District	10 00	
" " " 6, 4th "	10 00	
" " " 8, 4th "	10 00	
" " " 16, 4th "	10 00	
" " " 8, 5th "	10 00	
" Attorney's Fees	100 00	
" Insurance on School Houses	116 45	
" Note Phœnix Building Association	1,000 00	
" Notes to Wm. H. Wilson in payment for No 10, 1st District	300 00	
" Attorney for collecting arrears of County levies	476 49	
" Secretary for collecting and disbursing money provided by the County for the payment of the School Debt	300 00	
Balance Cash on hand	257 46	
		$40,438 90

HOWARD COUNTY.

DR. JAMES T. WILLIAMS, *President.* JOHN G. ROGERS, *Secretary, &c.*

Prof. M. A. Newell, Secretary of State Board of Education.

DEAR SIR: The annual report of the Public Schools of Howard County for the year ending September 30, 1879, is respectfully submitted.

For the year just ended I think that I can safely say that our schools have done well.

The continually increasing demand for additional school facilities has stimulated the patrons of various sections to numerous generous offerings and undertakings. They have erected, free of cost to the County, at present, a fine and commodious building near "Waterloo," in the sixth election district of this County. This school has been in successful operation since the Winter Term. This noble work on the part of the people in the locality just mentioned has been followed by an undertaking, almost as generous, in another section of the same district—in the last, however, the School Board did assist somewhat. We have erected, and have now ready for use, a new school near Clarksville, in the fifth election district. This has not been noticed in my account of disbursements, because of its not being finished at the end of our fiscal year, and because it will be paid for out of the funds for the ensuing year.

The average attendance in several schools has been such as to require an assistant This, with the additional expense of the support of the "Waterloo" School, and the continual falling off the "State School Tax," brings us into a comparatively small indebtedness to our teachers. But the County Commissioners came to our aid, and have

levied for this year ten, instead of nine thousand dollars as heretofore.

In view of the increased expenses above mentioned, the Board have found it *absolutely necessary* to reduce the salaries of our teachers. This action was taken *most reluctantly,* and only after the most careful examination of all the means available to enable us to run our schools for the four terms, and demanded by the Board of County Commissioners, and made a condition precedent to the levying of the extra thousand spoken of.

Our colored schools are not what I would like them to be, either in attendance, zeal, or ability of teachers. For the last I can only account, and the reason is that our salary is so small that we cannot command what the school-room ought to have.

Our teachers seem to appreciate the usefulness of the association, which holds its meetings regularly at the end of each quarter, and is, I am sure, productive of great good.

The schools are all graded, and I am confident that a great deal of valuable time is thereby saved to the child, and labor to the teacher.

Respectfully,
JOHN G. ROGERS,
Examiner.

HOWARD COUNTY—SUMMARY OF SCHOOL STATISTICS

For the year ending June 30, 1879.

	1879.	1878.
Number of School Houses—Frame 32; Brick 1; Log 10; Stone 1..	45	44
Number of Male Teachers (Principals).....	29	26
" Female " "	14	20
" Male " (Assistants).....	..	..
" Female " "	3	4
Total.....	46	50
Number of Fenced Lots.....	7	6
" Schools having Outbuildings.....	33	29
" " " sufficient Black-boards..	38	37
" " " good Furniture.....	30	27
" Terms Schools were Open.....	4	4
" different Pupils for the year—White 2,034		
Colored..... 555		
Total.....	2,589	2,542
" Pupils in average attendance { White ..... 919; Colored..... 179 }	1,098	1,133
" Official School Visits paid by Examiner....	103	....

Number of Pupils.

	Fall Term.	Winter Term.	Spring Term.	Summer Term.
On Roll.....	1,632	1,879	1,968	1,664
Av. attendance.....	1,032	1,104	1,256	999

	1879.	1878.
Number of Pupils in 1st Grade December 1.....	358	357
" " 2d " " 1.....	319	328
" " 3d " " 1.....	351	379
" " 4th " " 1....	357	320
" " 5th " " 1.....	290	269
" " 6th " " 1.....	177	175
" " Above 6th " 1.....	40	21

" " Book-Keeping 27; Algebra 37; Philosophy 92; Geometry 11; Physiology 6; Latin 9; Ungraded 113.

HOWARD COUNTY—SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Attendance for the year ending June* 30, 1879.

No. of School.	District.	Name of Teacher.	Fall Term.		Winter Term.		Spring Term.		Summer Term.		No. of different pupils for the Year.
			On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	
1	1	Miss H. Hammett	82	59	83	72	90	63	63	33	120
2	1	J. N. Wyatt	99	64	98	72	98	75	80	44	114
3	1	John T. Thompson	28	17	38	22	34	23	30	14	43
4	1	J. N. Gordon	29	16	33	17	40	23	34	15	48
1	2	G. M. Thomas	46	29	41	27	41	29	43	26	65
2	2	Miss B. Talbott	32	24	31	22	48	39	41	29	64
3	2	T. B. Dorsey	56	34	55	29	55	37	50	31	70
4	2	Miss G. Scott	27	18	28	19	27	17	20	16	35
5	2	Miss J. E. Groves	21	13	29	19	28	21	24	17	34
6	2	C. J. Meehan	56	36	50	32	49	39	53	35	60
7	2	P. T Harman	35	24	27	15	23	13	21	12	38
1	3	J. R. Musser	56	40	62	41	63	40	56	39	78
2	3	Miss L. V. Hobbs	30	20	26	17	29	22	28	19	39
3	3	T. S. Purvis	46	29	50	28	50	28	33	16	60
4	3	J. H. Jeffery	24	12	24	13	30	15	23	14	42
5	3	Miss J. E. Kirby	51	28	38	14	45	18	46	28	60
1	4	John L. Hill	62	38	90	60	88	61	61	41	93
2	4	R. J. Bennett	23	15	28	17	35	18	30	24	50
3	4	W. J. Jones	49	28	51	26	50	34	45	28	61
4	4	W. Woodward	25	15	26	17	27	17	25	15	37
5	4	J. D. Baxly	42	22	67	25	57	27	38	16	77
6	4	Mrs. J. M. Billop	39	22	45	19	46	28	42	20	57
7	4	Miss M. Murphy	33	27	39	29	30	20	27	21	65
1	5	John A. Denton	35	26	42	26	39	25	36	30	46

2	5	Miss J. Hardy	51	32	43	25	66	41	49	33	78
3	5	Thomas L. Maclin	43	27	32	16	40	24	37	23	56
4	5	Miss A. E. Johnston	32	18	35	20	40	25	39	19	46
5	5	Miss E. Thomas	22	17	35	17	30	20	19	8	50
6	5	R. B. Crane	35	18	36	24	38	26	32	23	50
1	6	J. R. Baker	57	43	57	37	58	45	52	40	73
2	6	Charles S. Burns	24	11	22	10	17	11	21	12	29
3	6	J. T. R. R. Carroll	50	39	48	37	47	38	40	30	63
4	6	Miss F. E. Brian	25	16	30	17	28	18	30	18	45
5	6	B. E. Williams	45	30	43	24	48	30	41	21	63
6	6	W. Hammett	....	....	14	11	22	16	20	15	25
			1410	907	1496	916	1556	1026	1329	825	2034

HOWARD COUNTY—SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Expenses for year ending September* 30, 1879.

No. of School.	District.	Rent.	Fuel.	Repairs.	Other Incidental Expenses.	Furniture, Black Boards, Stoves.	Teachers' Salaries for the Year.	Receipts from Books.
1	1	$....	$30 30	$1 00	$3 50	$....	$584 22	$5 71
2	1	72 00	17 31	....	3 65	....	760 00	9 00
3	1	....	14 00	....	4 72	....	450 00	19 15
4	1	....	17 50	....	3 32	....	472 43	33 13
1	2	37 50	15 87	4 50	6 55	....	472 70	43 03
2	2	72 50	16 88	2 25	3 55	....	450 00	35 80
3	2	....	1 55	34 05	3 75	....	425 00	17 58
4	2	....	21 00	1 00	7 90	....	450 00	27 61
5	2	48 00	12 00	3 00	4 61	....	409 00	12 19
6	2	....	16 00	...	5	....	450 00	.....
7	2	....	12 25	25	2 40	....	475 00	16 38
1	3	....	18 00	20 00	2 50	....	475 00	21 72
2	3	....	10 00	....	5 69	...	475 00	19 88
3	3	....	11 30	....	3 39	....	459 09	40 57
4	3	....	12 25	5 00	43	....	462 40	13 17
5	3	....	10 50	....	3 55	....	406 25	13 78
1	4	....	18 00	20 19	7 42	...	655 80	20 00
2	4	....	20 00	3 25	7 48	...	462 92	18 26
3	4	....	16 00	4 02	1 27	....	450 00	16 33
4	4	....	14 00	12	1 35	....	421 00	15 26
5	4	....	12 00	5 49	50	....	399 25	6 03
6	4	....	16 43	3 00	2 45	....	475 00	17 20
7	4	....	9 00	1 00	2 55	....	475 12	29 02
1	5	....	15 00	71 54	5 50	....	475 00	14 24
2	5	....	10 00	35 58	7 08	....	502 54	9 00
3	5	...	12 50	....	1 75	15 00	439 25	13 26
4	5	....	10 50	15 00	3 49	....	422 81	27 60
5	5	....	8 59	....	1 31	....	348 48	2 44
6	5	8 00	5 00	11 00	2 34	....	475 00	24 39
1	6	...	32 55	64	36	....	475 60	16 51
2	6	....	9 50	....	1 00	....	403 81	2 20
3	6	....	7 50	18 30	1 25	....	450 00	38 12
4	6	....	16 00	....	1 10	....	450 00	26 45
5	6	...	16 00	30 17	50	....	406 25	36 53
6	6	....	10 25	....	....	....	290 00	3 73
		$238 00	$495 53	$290 35	$108 26	$15 00	$16,153 92	$665 27

HOWARD COUNTY—COLORED SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Attendance for year ending June 30, 1879*

No. of School.	District.	Name of Teacher.	Fall Term.		Winter Term.		Spring Term.		Summer Term.		No. of different pupils for the year.
			On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	
1	1	William B. Davenport	31	15	48	23	49	24	41	13	60
1	2	S. E. Baxter	33	25	33	19	35	25	19	10	50
2	2	John H. Webb	....	....	43	25	70	47	77	48	115
1	3	John W. Hobbs	43	23	45	22	46	25	37	19	55
1	4	E. E Reed	44	26	68	28	65	33	57	22	89
1	5	W. T. Greenwood	51	28	62	22	59	24	38	17	70
2	5	D. J. Richardson	....	....	48	28	45	28	34	25	65
1	6	E. L. Miller	20	8	36	21	43	24	32	20	51
			222	125	383	188	412	230	335	174	555

HOWARD COUNTY—COLORED SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Expenses for year ending September* 30, 1879.

No. of School.	District.	Rent.	Fuel.	Repairs.	Other Incidental Expenses.	Furniture, Black Boards, Stoves.	Teachers' Salaries for the Year.	Receipts from Books.
1	1	$....	$6 50	....	$....	.....	$250 00	$18 50
1	2	....	8 00	....	35	.....	220 00	15 98
2	2	12 00	3 75	....	1 78	.....	229 00	38 58
1	3	....	....	....	...	.....	250 00	12 17
1	4	....	8 00	...	....	.....	240 00	.....
1	5	....	13 00	....	7 08	.....	212 00	12 00
2	5	....	10 50	....	5 40	.....	148 00	21 71
1	6	....	16 00	....	....	.....	168 00	21 91
		$12 00	$65 75	....	$14 61	.....	$1,717 00	$140 88

COLORED SCHOOLS—*Receipts and Disbursements for the year ending September* 30, 1879.

RECEIPTS.

Amount received from State Treasurer		$1,954 68

DISBURSEMENTS.

Paid for Teachers' salaries	$1,717 00	
Incidental expenses	14 61	
Rent	12 00	
Fuel	65 75	
Books and Stationery	140 88	
		$1,950 16

HOWARD COUNTY.—*Statement of Receipts and Disbursements for Public School Purposes, for the Year ending September* 30, 1879.

RECEIPTS.

State School Tax		$7,199 34
State Free School Fund		1,622 57
State Donations		1,200 00
County School Tax at .. cents on the $100		8,994 88
Amount of Levy	$9,000 00	
Sales of Books		780 24
State Appropriation to Colored Schools		1,954 68
		$21,751 71

DISBURSEMENTS.

Balance due to Teachers June 30, 1878		$955 82	
Teachers' Salaries Paid.	$16,153 92		
	14,954 95	14,954 95	
	$1,198 97		
Fuel		477 53	
Incidental Expenses of Schools		106 05	
Rent		238 00	
Books and Stationery		1,147 59	
Repairing School Houses		290 35	
Lumber, Furniture, Black Boards and Stoves		113 59	
Insurance		41 75	
Salary of Secretary, Treasurer and Examiner		1,000 00	
Per Diem of School Commissioners		211 00	
Office Expenses and Account Books		125 00	
Printing and Advertising		139 92	
Paid to Colored Schools		1,950 16	
			$21,751 71

KENT COUNTY.

Prof. M. A. Newell, Secretary State Board of Education.

In submitting our annual report we desire to say that the buildings in which the colored schools are held are not the property of the Board, and they have not been included in the valuation of school property.

In addition to the regular school work we have a Teachers' County Association which meets regularly every term, and which we find to be a valuable feature of the School Law.

A very successful Teachers' Institute was held for three days during the last week of June, which was attended by the Principal of the State Normal School.

R. W. JONES, *President.*

EBEN F. PERKINS, *Secretary.*

KENT COUNTY—SUMMARY OF SCHOOL STATISTICS

For the Year ending June 30, 1879.

	White.	Col'd.	1879.	1878.
Number of School Houses 42, and 18 for colored schools not the property of the Board—Frame, 57; Brick, 3			60	59
Number of Male Teachers (Principals)	21	11		
" Female " "	21	7		
" Male " (Assistants)	1	1		
" Female " "	8	..		
Total	51	19	70	68
Number of Fenced Lots			23	23
" Schools having Out-buildings			41	41
" " having sufficient Black-boards			48	45
" " having good Furniture			41	40
" Terms Schools were Open			4	4
" Different Pupils for the Year—White	2,458			
Colored	1,324			
Total			3,782	3,708
" Pupils in average attendance—White	1,152			
Colored	395			
			1,547	1,548
" Pupils over Sixteen Years of Age—White	75			
Col'd	128			
			203	....
" Official School Visits paid by Examiner			166	170

Number of Pupils.

	Fall Term. W.	Fall Term. C.	Winter Term. W.	Winter Term. C.	Spring Term. W.	Spring Term. C.	Summer Term. W.	Summer Term. C.
On roll	1,666	637	1,936	997	1,964	988	1,829	736
Av attendance	1,060	334	1,029	387	1,249	457	1,270	404

	1879.	1878.
Number of Pupils in 1st Grade December 1	660	660
" " " 2d " " 1	544	448
" " " 3d " " 1	517	539
" " " 4th " " 1	490	561
" " " 5th " " 1	341	385
" " " 6th " " 1	279	297
" " " above 6th " 1	102	78

" " " Book-keeping, 37; Algebra, 83; Philosophy, 57; Geometry, 37; Physiology, 85; Latin, 24.

School Houses Built or Enlarged During the Year.

No. of Schools.	District.	Brick or Frame	Cost.	Length.	Width.	Height.	Square Feet of Black-Board.	Out-Buildings. Yes or No.	Fences Yes or No.	Cost of Furniture.
7	4	*Frame	$475 00	24 ft.	20 ft.	10 ft.	97	Yes.	Partly	$73 70
4	1	"	459 00	†	..	..	..	....	....	.....
4	5	"	231 00	†	..	..	..	....	....	.....

* Vestibule 14x6. † Enlarged.

KENT COUNTY—SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Attendance for the year ending June* 30, 1879.

No. of School.	District.	Name of Teacher.	Fall Term.		Winter Term.		Spring Term.		Summer Term.		No of different pupils for the year.
			On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	
1	1	H. H. Barroll	10	5	27	10	30	13	16	8	35
2	1	Henry Tonkin	24	16	31	22	37	30	36	28	42
2	1	Victorine Power	64	48	61	46	59	49	65	49	79
3	1	John S. Lowers	42	27	44	17	37	24	40	25	52
4	1	Kate M. Owens	57	44	48	31	53	42	51	41	68
5	1	E. F. Clift	22	11	33	14	30	20	22	15	38
6	1	T. B. Long and Assistant	120	83	135	89	133	96	133	97	155
7	1	Josephine Foard	44	28	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
7	1	Sam'l W. Comegys	....	....	45	21	50	26	45	29	57
8	1	Helen Power	9	7	15	8	15	12	12	10	17
9	1	Chas. K. Morris	12	6	17	5	20	8	23	12	39
10	1	H. C Meier	20	9	29	9	30	10	29	9	40
1	2	Ella Newnam	47	27	54	25	54	24	45	25	73
2	2	Nettie Gooding	32	20	37	13	33	17	28	16	46
3	2	H. C. Wallis	52	39	60	38	69	44	63	45	79
4	2	John S. Fulton	56	40	57	34	57	38	52	39	76
5	2	H. F. McNeal	30	18	28	9	36	20	31	21	45
6	2	Milton Melvin	18	9	30	15	31	19	23	14	34
7	2	J. R. Starkey and Assistant	45	25	48	29	60	40	60	43	73
8	2	Emma Copenhaver	20	12	30	14	....	....	....	....	36
8	2	Fannie E. Wilson	....	....	....	....	23	13	....	....	....
8	2	Dora Powell	....	....	....	...	....	....	22	16	....
1	3	Sam'l W. Comegys	19	12	....	...	....	....	....	....	...
1	3	Mary Howard	....	....	24	12	32	16	27	17	37

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2	3	Sam'l W. Wallis	39	22	45	15	39	20	41	24	67
3	3	M. E. B. Stephens	37	21	37	16	33	17	38	22	52
4	3	E A. Gowing	43	31	51	27	57	32	53	39	66
5	3	Florence Janvier	23	11	30	13	26	13	23	13	39
6	3	Mary R Taylor	42	19	49	26	54	32	40	25	61
7	3	Frank Woodside	31	23	38	17	35	27	37	22	41
1	4	Emma Osborne	27	12	27	11	35	18	25	15	47
2	4	J. A. Greenwood	36	23	36	16	40	27	38	24	43
3	4	A. N. Haugh and Assistant	230	175	232	173	229	187	234	215	259
4	4	John F. Copper	23	15	27	9	32	16	27	20	35
5	4	Susan E. Melvin	21	14	26	16	24	18	16	12	27
6	4	Virginia Johnson	28	18	30	15	31	19	....	....	38
6	4	E. Ava Downes	....	....	....	....	....	....	29	16	..
7	4	Mamie Hazzard	....	....	29	20	29	21	27	17	31
1	5	William D. Crosby	18	8	25	11	23	16	21	15	29
2	5	Adelaide Bogle	16	7	22	6	25	9	27	9	28
3	5	J. V. Crosby and Assistants	93	50	102	56	99	62	90	63	126
4	5	Sophia A. Taggart	42	24	62	27	63	34	48	26	74
5	5	Indiana M. Comegys	36	21	46	23	38	28	46	33	59
6	5	Thos. M. Pinkind	23	12	34	13	31	20	26	17	38
7	5	Lizzie M. Beck	27	17	33	14	34	15	30	21	41
8	5	Chas. G Ricaud	12	5	17	5	17	9	15	7	27
9	5	Lillie B. Bramble	33	14	33	12	29	13	22	12	51
10	5	Annie Power	43	32	52	27	52	35	53	44	58
			708	447	833	454	831	547	774	566	1,011

KENT COUNTY.—SCHOOL STATISTICS.—*Expenses for year ending September* 30, 1879.

No. of School.	District.	Value of School Property.	Fuel.	Repairs.	Other Incidental Expenses.	Furniture, Black Boards, Stoves.	Cost of Books.	Teachers' Salaries for the year.
1	1	$511 00	$22 00	$	$2 50	$1 00	$	$358 30
2	1	2,690 00	59 75	207 76	5 60	. ...	.....	431 65
2	1	.....	25 00	.....	6 87	.....	.....	400 00
3	1	360 00	13 50	20 00	2 40	2 50	.....	400 00
4	1	.....	....	22 00	4 50	.....	.....	398 12
5	1	308 00	16 18	22 18	2 53	4 75	.....	378 37
6	1	2,714 00	43 60	....	11 57	.....	.....	1,215 52
7	1	513 00	....	. ..	2 64	1 00	.....	388 90
8	1	425 00	25 00	....	7 59	4 90	.....	360 00
9	1	440 00	24 00	....	....	.....	.....	356 62
10	1	400 00	15 00	....	25	1 00	.....	360 00
1	2	625 00	25 00	72 40	1 00	16 42	.....	400 00
2	2	330 00	26 87	8 78	....	5 25	.....	390 00
3	2	1,823 00	3 38	....	2 51	4 85	.....	396 38
4	2	1,195 00	24 75	24 37	1 30	43 15	20	398 09
5	2	770 00	16 50	....	82	.....	.....	387 06
6	2	415 00	13 45	1 40	58	.....	... .	380 00
7	2	2,692 00	64 20	....	4 81	25 99	.....	462 50
8	2	650 00	13 50	....	50	4 50	.....	364 35
1	3	700 00	16 13	....	6 10	1 00	.....	374 25
2	3	350 00	41 15	32 55	98	1 00	.....	390 00
3	3	600 00	17 85	1 92	73	1 00	.....	400 00
4	3	913 00	13 35	....	6 69	17 00	.....	394 75
5	3	350 00	5 00	....	25	1 00	.....	356 45
6	3	477 00	38 00	....	75	6 50	.....	400 00
7	3	498 00	12 52	148 49	5 25	16 40	.....	395 76
1	4	300 00	10 90	7 31	4 11	1 00	.....	378 37
2	4	600 00	2 37	.....	1 15	1 00	.....	375 35
3	4	4,450 00	95 82	58 16	12 71	57 13	.....	2,066 13
4	4	750 00	20 50	14 00	1 54	7 00	..	380 00
5	4	350 00	15 76	14 00	3 90	13 28	.....	376 00
6	4	416 00	18 63	4 50	15	17 50	.....	376 73
7	4	575 00	37 39	....	2 89	77 25	.....	298 00
1	5	450 00	19 50	....	6 91	6 55	6 25	368 84
2	5	250 00	41 13	....	5 35	9 45	.....	360 00
3	5	1,194 00	37 80	21 77	1 58	91 60	2 42	797 49
4	5	775 00	19 15	....	8 12	18 50	.....	399 00
5	5	600 00	15 50	32 24	4 04	.....	.....	400 00
6	5	458 00	15 80	4 33	6 26	6 01	.....	374 24
7	5	435 00	20 80	. ..	5 45	.....	.....	387 18
8	5	450 00	39 50	3 50	....	.....	.....	358 31
9	5	390 00	17 70	....	1 05	7 00	.....	359 10
10	5	680 00	27 65	81 31	5 05	18 25	.....	400 00
		$13,033 00	$455 90	$241 12	$70 26	$331 52	$8 67	$8 454 74

KENT COUNTY—COLORED SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Attendance for year ending June* 30, 1879.

No. of School.	District.	Name of Teacher.	Fall Term.		Winter Term.		Spring Term.		Summer Term.		No. of different pupils for the year.
			On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	
1	1	Eliza D. Richards	46	26	96	42	100	43	67	34	114
2	1	Geo B. Carmichael	36	13	48	16	40	11	18	10	63
3	1	Henry W. Hewlett	30	18	43	17	40	19	29	17	45
4	1	Alex. C. Shippen	42	24	49	19	39	22	35	23	59
5	1	Anna R. Over	23	11	45	17	40	18	30	14	51
1	2	Annie P. Smith	43	22	70	21	73	26	55	30	89
2	2	Dan'l A. Ridout	35	13	68	19	69	28	42	18	92
3	2	Clara L. Davis	13	7	20	15	28	14	25	11	41
4	2	Chas. B. Stepioe	20	13	32	11	30	13	25	11	49
1	3	Jas. A. Jackson	34	14	48	17	37	17	27	21	59
2	3	Geo W. Biddle	25	9	42	13	47	17	37	16	73
3	3	A. C Williamson	22	11	49	16	42	16	28	14	62
4	3	William Cornell	43	21	58	19	70	28	47	20	90
1	4	Thos W. Addison and Assistant	100	70	123	61	117	78	113	80	142
2	4	Sarah C. Bainter	34	20	58	22	62	26	52	24	87
1	5	Garrett I Richardson	28	17	42	25	40	20	26	19	68
2	5	Sarah H. Arey	37	15	67	24	74	43	45	19	84
3	5	A. J. Richardson.	26	10	39	13	40	18	35	23	56
			637	334	997	387	988	457	736	404	1,324

KENT COUNTY—COLORED SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Expenses for year ending September* 30, 1879

No. of School.	District.	Value of School Property.	Fuel.	Repairs.	Other Incidental Expenses.	Furniture, Black Boards, Stoves.	Cost of Books.	Teachers' Salaries for the year.
1	1	$15 00	$23 70	$	$ 25	$	.....	$241 82
2	1	20 00	26 50	....	....	.....	.....	247 70
3	1	25 00	48 00	....	...	.....	.....	249 45
4	1	15 00	25 00	....	...	5 00	.....	250 00
5	1	121 00	43 37	...	....	.....	.....	226 13
1	2	30 00	25 00	....	....	.....	.....	250 00
2	2	200 00	25 18	....	....	.....	.....	247 51
3	2	5 00	25 38	...	....	4 50	.....	169 49
4	2	6 00	25 00	....	....	4 75	.....	248 83
1	3	15 00	26 24	...	...	.....	.....	248 87
2	3	320 00	27 80	....	....	.....	.....	250 00
3	3	29 00	27 75	....	...	.....	.....	250 00
4	3	10 00	56 88	....	....	4 75	.....	250 00
1	4	25 00	96 74	....	....	4 50	.....	408 52
2	4	25 00	21 41	...	....	.....	.....	218 75
1	5	26 00	25 00	....	....	4 50	.....	250 00
2	5	25 00	45 70	....	....	.....	.....	244 19
3	5	6 00	20 75	....	..	.....	.....	244 88
		$918 00	$595 40	....	$ 25	$28 00	.....	$4,496 14

COLORED SCHOOLS—*Receipts and Disbursements for the Year ending September* 30, 1879.

Receipts.		Disbursements.	
Unexpended Balance of previous Appropriation.....	$ 26 48	Paid for Teachers' Salaries.	$4,496 14
Amount received from State Treasurer..... ...	4,432 96	Incidental Expenses	25
Oyster Licenses.....	37 05	Black board.....	28 00
Balances of Colored County School Tax for the years 1874-5-6-7-8 inclusive...	349 80	Fuel.	595 40
Colored County School Tax for 1879...	315 00	Registers and Slating.....	19 25
Amount overpaid.....	397 75	Supervision.....	325 00
		Proportion of other Expenses.....	95 00
	$5,559 04		$5,559 04

KENT COUNTY—*Statement of Receipts and Disbursements for Public School Purposes, for the year ending September* 30, 1879.

RECEIPTS.

Balance on hand, September 30, 1878		$5,203 44
State School Tax		8,966 78
State Free School Fund		1,637 73
County School Tax at .. Cents on $100		9,739 30
Amount of Levy	$12,000 00	
Freight refunded		40
Coal Bill refunded		14 30
Discount on Lumber		9 00
Oyster Licenses		638 40
State Appropriation to Colored Schools		4,432 96
Colored Oyster Licenses		37 05
		$30,679 36

DISBURSEMENTS.

Teachers' Salaries	$ 19,391 81	
Fuel	1,031 58	
Incidental Expenses of Schools	148 98	
Rent	50 00	
Books for Pupils	8 87	
Building School Houses and Additions	1,215 89	
Repairing "	802 97	
Furniture, Black Boards and Stoves	490 73	
Attorneys Fees	14 60	
Registers and Reports	56 31	
Salary of Secretary, Treasurer and Examiner	1,200 00	
Per Diem of School Commissioners	300 00	
Books for Pupils, Paper, &c	40 17	
Printing and Advertising	69 33	
Paid to Colored Schools :		
Teachers' Salaries	4,496 14	
Fuel	595 40	
Incidentals	25	
Black-boards	28 00	
Postage and Envelopes	46 14	
Slating for Black-boards	41 00	
Check Books	12 25	
State Teachers' Association	10 00	
Expenses of Institute	89 05	
Commissioners Association and Expenses out of the County	29 56	
Balance Cash on Hand	510 33	
		$30,679 36

EBEN F. PERKINS, *Secretary.*

R. W. JONES, *President.*

MONTGOMERY COUNTY—SUMMARY OF SCHOOL STATISTICS

For the year ending June 30, 1879.

	1879.	1878.
Number of School Houses—Frame 69; Brick 1; Log 10; Stone 1..	81	77
Number of Male Teachers (Principals).....	64	59
" Female " "	25	22
" Male " (Assistants)	1	1
" Female " "	6	7
Total.....	96	89
Number of Fenced Lots.....	7	7
" Schools having Outbuildings.....	75	59
" " " sufficient Black-boards..	77	73
" " " good Furniture.....	76	74
" Terms Schools were Open.....	4	3
" different Pupils for the year...	4,873	4,486
" Pupils in average attendance.....	2,145	2,040
" Official School Visits paid by Examiner....	115	86

NUMBER OF PUPILS.

	Fall Term.	Winter Term.	Spring Term.	Summer Term
On Roll.....	3,248	3,874	3,766	3,163
Av. attendance.....	2,081	2,187	2,340	1,973

	1879.	1878.
Number of Pupils in 1st Grade December 1.....	732	675
" " 2d " " 1.....	648	603
" " 3d " " 1.....	643	688
" " 4th " " 1....	717	660
" " 5th " " 1.....	621	556
" " 6th " " 1.....	484	371
" " Above 6th " 1.....	169	142

" " Book-Keeping 26; Algebra 96; Philosophy 69; Drawing 58; Geometry 35; Physiology 59; Latin 16.

SCHOOL HOUSES BUILT OR ENLARGED DURING THE YEAR

No. of Schools.	District.	Brick or Frame.	Cost.	Length.	Width.	Height.	Square Feet of Black-Board	Out-Buildings. Yes or No.	Fences—Yes or No.	Cost of Furniture.
				Feet.	*Feet.*	*Feet.*				
1	2	Frame	$600 00	34	24	12	40	Yes.	Yes.	$100 00
3	2	Log.	100 00	24	24	10	24	Yes.	No.	.. ..
13	3	Log	.....	18	20	9	18	No.	No.	35 00
16	4	Frame	350 00	30	24	12	40	Yes.	No	98 15

MONTGOMERY COUNTY—SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Attendance for year ending June 30, 1879.*

No of School.	District.	Name of Teacher.	Fall Term.		Winter Term.		Spring Term.		Summer Term.		No. of different pupils for the year.
			On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	
1	1	Agnes E. Weer	23	17	25	13	25	17	25	19	33
2	1	Morton L. Venable	29	20	27	17	31	16	25	16	39
3	1	Charles B Clements	25	16	34	19	26	17	26	17	43
5	1	Helen J. Hogan	26	19	29	18	....	....	....	....	....
5	1	Charles W. Crawford	....	....	....	....	31	14	27	19	38
6	1	Silas W Davis	26	22	35	28	42	32	38	31	49
7	1	James M. Woodfield	32	16	49	16	48	21	44	23	55
8	1	Charles A. Gartrell	33	27	42	29	41	29	34	27	60
10	1	Cyrus Grady	31	21	33	18	28	16	21	15	40
11	1	Edward M. Beach	44	35	51	32	51	35	41	31	63
1	2	Robert A. Benton	43	24	62	41	69	49	56	30	78
2	2	W. L Widmeyer	57	30	67	33	59	29	49	20	80
3	2	William H Page	65	43	77	43	74	39	56	33	93
4	2	George R. Israel	68	40	85	48	80	43	71	44	99
4	2	Lucy V. Byrne, Assistant	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
5	2	William Matthews	56	35	70	36	71	35	....	....	....
5	2	Henry R Benson	....	....	....	....	....	....	71	39	89
6	2	Luther M. Watkins	31	20	48	23	45	27	29	16	60
7	2	William C. Bowman	31	17	37	18	38	19	26	12	47
8	2	J. C W. Kemp	27	20	31	21	34	25	32	22	43
9	2	Charles W. Browning	63	29	84	39	79	41	42	19	97
10	2	Mary M. Reed	25	11	37	17	37	18	24	11	48
11	2	John T. Baker	50	29	65	35	71	37	56	26	82
1	3	Virgil M. Hickerson	24	14	30	17	29	20	29	16	29

MONTGOMERY COUNTY—SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Attendance for the year ending June* 30, 1879—Continued.

No. of School.	District.	Name of Teacher.	Fall Term.		Winter Term.		Spring Term.		Summer Term		No. of different pupils for the Year.
			On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	
2	3	Joseph T. White	12	7	23	10	19	14	16	10	28
3	3	Richard White	30	21	34	19	30	23	31	17	40
4	3	William T. Remsburg	36	24	40	18	36	19	32	16	49
5	3	John P. Bonic	16	12	31	27	26	20	17	10	34
6	3	Willis O. Rhodes	49	30	45	29	47	31	34	25	62
7	3	Thomas Story	59	42	64	41	65	41	54	40	79
8	3	William J. William	21	11	29	14	24	15	18	11	37
9	3	Henry C Hickerson	51	35	62	44	66	43	55	37	79
10	3	Carr F. Fastham	35	32	35	29	32	30	35	29	42
11	3	Charles W. Baggarly	76	60	79	54	63	43	53	42	92
11	3	Sallie R Veirs, Assistant	....	....	....	...	....	....	....	....	....
12	3	George W. Fletchall	37	24	42	25	38	21	20	19	50
13	3	A. C. Hulsizer	28	24	37	24	41	26	35	23	53
1	4	Cecilia Warfield	30	20	30	17	25	17	26	16	38
2	4	Charles E. Higgins	36	22	37	17	36	22	35	22	42
3	4	Charles G. Petty	23	16	29	19	28	21	22	16	35
4	4	George G. Woodbridge	31	17	34	17	34	21	29	20	46
5	4	Robert J. Green	36	21	43	22	42	19	35	24	47
6	4	Samuel J. Woodbridge	37	25	37	26	41	23	34	22	52
7	4	Blanche E Braddock	33	21	40	23	40	27	28	17	48
8	4	Samuel R. White	119	88	122	85	114	86	98	71	136
8	4	Lucy Garrett, Assistant	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
8	4	Agnes J. Matlach, Assistant	....	...	....	...	....	....	....	....	....
9	4	Martha A. C. Nelson	45	26	57	24	57	34	57	25	76

10	4	Edmund L. Amiss	72	54	79	45	77	47	75	53	90
10	4	Annie M. Myers, Assistant	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
11	4	Thomas E. Williams	34	20	42	19	38	16	35	21	50
12	4	Ernest M. Holland	25	16	32	15	32	15	22	10	40
13	4	Andrew Small	17	13	16	10	22	14	28	14	39
15	4	Benjamin F. Packard	28	17	33	16	28	18	....	....	....
15	4	John W. Chappell	....	....	....	....	....	....	34	24	43
16	4	Sallie E. Kilgour	31	27	37	24	44	27	43	29	52
1	5	Benjamin F. Noland	19	12	21	10	24	15	23	16	29
2	5	Bettie Baker	28	18	28	15	24	15	18	10	35
3	5	William O. Petty	46	30	46	24	....	....	....	....	....
3	5	Virginia Griffith	....	...	....	....	47	31	43	29	58
4	5	Eliza S. C. Weaver	57	42	65	39	52	36	48	29	80
5	5	Mercy A. Griffin	29	21	30	21	34	23	32	23	41
6	5	Caleb N. Warfield	41	29	47	27	45	30	43	27	58
7	5	Charles H. Waters	44	29	57	29	61	35	48	29	72
8	5	Annie T. Porter	60	34	65	37	64	42	58	31	74
9	5	Florence P. Davis	25	17	32	18	29	19	24	15	39
10	5	Belle L. Coar	16	14	23	13	20	16	15	9	31
11	5	John H. Gassaway	34	21	28	18	27	17	25	14	38
12	5	Manie Weer	28	15	....	....	....	....	....	...	....
12	5	Annie E. Cooke	....	....	33	16	31	18	21	15	39
			2283	1512	2682	1541	2612	1609	2231	1396	3348

MONTGOMERY COUNTY—SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Expenses for year ending September* 30, 1879.

No. of School.	District.	Value of School Property	Fuel.	Repairs.	Other Incidental Expenses.	Furniture, Black-Boards, Stoves.	Cost of Books.	Teachers' Salaries for the year.
1	1	$400 00	$9 00	$ ..	$2 80	$.....	$3 98	$387 20
2	1	600 00	15 00	....	4 86	.....	25 14	390 20
3	1	350 00	12 00	75	60	.....	30 52	373 00
5	1	350 00	15 25	1 00	4 64	17 40	12 56	352 00
6	1	500 00	14 50	....	....	.....	11 60	433 00
7	1	400 00	15 14	5 46	55	18 05	7 22	398 00
8	1	450 00	12 00	3 10	7 70	.....	18 70	446 00
10	1	600 00	18 37	....	2 60	7 25	13 95	364 00
11	1	500 00	16 00	7 75	1 40	.....	3 16	515 40
1	2	800 00	12 00	....	1 85	.....	62 31	515 00
2	2	400 00	10 50	2 85	4 34	.....	22 44	480 00
3	2	600 00	5 00	....	1 30	.....	36 82	543 00
4	2	500 00	14 25	6 30	4 51	1 50	73 81	593 20
4	2	.....	...	....	....	. ....	.....	270 00
5	2	400 00	4 05	50	3 85	.....	43 37	496 00
6	2	100 00	9 00	....	....	.....	27 00	424 00
7	2	100 00	11 25	2 00	....	. ....	18 71	367 00
8	2	300 00	13 00	1 15	....	2 50	17 01	412 00
9	2	500 00	9 00	....	20	.....	33 25	503 00
10	2	500 00	7 50	....	1 55	.....	13 16	569 00
11	2	400 00	21 75	86 50	2 46	16 00	35 30	538 20
1	3	600 00	12 00	....	2 95	30	18 55	390 20
2	3	400 00	22 00	....	35	.....	8 53	352 00
3	3	300 00	24 50	36 14	1 91	.....	24 73	361 00
4	3	400 00	15 98	7 81	1 81	.....	11 56	408 60
5	3	400 00	16 00	10 62	2 01	.....	15 98	401 20
6	3	300 00	24 00	....	6 65	.....	33 75	466 00
7	3	700 00	24 25	7 30	2 40	.....	40 89	563 20
8	3	500 00	10 00	....	77	.....	27 52	355 00
9	3	300 00	4 00	....	....	.....	3 05	553 20
10	3	500 00	21 75	....	2 79	24 00	29 05	475 40
11	3	700 00	33 00	....	6 18	5 00	25 00	575 40
11	3	.....	...	....	....	.....	.....	300 00
12	3	400 00	24 00	....	1 85	.....	16 32	413 00
13	3	100 00	16 00	39 93	2 64	.....	20 43	345 00
1	4	350 00	21 00	2 50	90	.....	19 84	355 00
2	4	400 00	10 00	20 74	1 20	.....	17 83	421 00
3	4	400 00	20 00	4 73	....	.....	22 54	355 00
4	4	300 00	12 00	9 88	25	.....	9 72	404 20
5	4	500 00	7 50	....	....	.....	24 32	424 00
6	4	300 00	10 12	3 65	....	.....	12 02	463 20
7	4	600 00	9 00	3 30	6 00	3 85	27 08	420 80
8	4	2,800 00	44 94	....	34 27	.....	51 28	757 20
8	4	....	..	...	....	.....	.....	300 00
8	4	... .	....	....	....	.....	.....	300 00
9	4	400 00	10 50	....	65	.....	16 74	471 00
10	4	400 00	12 00	60	13 70	.....	66 25	580 00
10	4	.....	...	....	....	.....	.....	270 00
11	4	400 00	12 00	8 50	1 65	.....	11 15	416 20

MONTGOMERY COUNTY—SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Expenses for year ending September* 30, 1879—Continued.

No. of School.	District.	Value of School Property.	Fuel	Repairs.	Other Incidental Expenses.	Furniture, Black Boards, Stoves.	Cost of Books.	Teachers' Salaries for the year.
12	4	$300 00	$10 16	$....	$....	$.....	$ 8 95	352 00
13	4	400 00	18 00	45 60	1 47	.....	12 69	352 00
15	4	700 00	18 00	....	40	.....	21 10	395 40
16	4	500 00	14 00	....	6 70	98 15	20 89	425 00
1	5	500 00	16 00	13 06	3 67	.....	18 44	352 00
2	5	400 00	12 15	.	90	.....	7 68	387 20
3	5	400 00	30 00	....	50	75	23 14	478 60
4	5	500 00	4 25	....	....	.....	15 70	505 00
5	5	400 00	6 00	1 00	50	. ..	7 18	409 00
6	5	500 00	11 00	4 50	3 40	.....	37 89	468 00
7	5	600 00	6 24	32 24	2 50	. ....	54 65	482 00
8	5	700 00	18 00	....	9 29	.....	23 20	542 20
9	5	600 00	15 00	1 67	39	15 39	2 48	387 20
10	5	500 00	7 00	....	25	.....	3 65	387 20
11	5	600 00	11 00	....	....	.....	32 43	367 00
12	5	600 00	4 50	5 50	3 83	.....	21 55	360 80
		$29,400 00	$862 40	$376 63	$169 94	$210 14	$1,375 76	$27,716 60

MONTGOMERY COUNTY—COLORED SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Attendance for the year ending June 30, 1879.*

No. of School.	District.	Name of Teacher.	Fall Term.		Winter Term.		Spring Term.		Summer Term.		No. of different pupils for the year.
			On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	
1	1	Richard H. Burkett	40	21	29	20	46	28	44	33	57
2	1	Maria G. Howard	36	22	48	21	50	35	32	22	59
3	1	Victoria D. Shaw	76	39	98	45	92	62	95	59	118
4	1	Mary M. Fleet	51	33	62	35	70	50	48	33	92
5	1	Noah E. Sedgwick	64	29	72	51	40	29	29	25	87
1	2	Hattie R. Johnson	18	9	26	11	27	14	18	10	36
2	2	Charles Lyles	24	12	33	16	31	12	18	11	44
3	2	Basil R. Frazier	....	....	22	16	27	21	26	18	35
1	3	Anna S. Bascom	53	28	...	...	....	....	....	....	....
1	3	Isadore Blair	....	....	50	30	48	34	46	24	64
2	3	Emma V. Levi	60	33	69	37	52	28	60	35	78
3	3	Julia A. Wright	55	36	51	39	56	25	50	28	67
4	3	Robert H Tyler	41	25	72	39	78	53	65	28	95
5	3	James W. Simpson	46	35	49	25	35	23	27	21	60
1	4	S. J. R Nelson	76	52	84	40	84	53	77	43	98
1	4	Horace Sedgwick, Assistant	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
2	4	James W. Ricks	40	23	52	16	46	20	33	18	66
1	5	Samuel S. Mebane	110	69	159	97	151	106	95	54	184
1	5	Ruth A. Hill, Assistant	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
2	5	Caleb Pumphrey	45	32	63	31	46	28	38	28	77
3	5	James A. Snowden	45	25	74	28	81	46	....	....	....
3	5	W. S. Welborne	....	...	...	....	...	....	42	24	98
4	5	Mary A. Braxton	52	25	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
4	5	Mary E. West	....	....	54	29	61	37	57	41	71
5	5	A. J. J Fletcher	33	21	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
5	5	John B. Douglas	....	....	25	20	33	27	32	22	39
			965	569	1192	646	1154	731	932	577	1525

MONTGOMERY COUNTY—COLORED SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Expenses for the year ending September* 30, 1879.

No. of School.	District.	Fuel.	Repairs.	Other Incidental Expenses.	Furniture, Black Boards, Stoves.	Cost of Books.	Teachers' Salaries for the Year.	Value of School Property.
1	1	$18 00	$....	$1 19	$....	$20 59	$300 00	$500 00
2	1	11 25	....	1 50	....	2 30	200 00	300 00
3	1	12 00	3 50	6 51	....	55 22	300 00	300 00
4	1	15 00	....	1 50	....	5 19	250 00	400 00
5	1	8 00	6 00	....	....	4 00	200 00	800 00
1	2	11 00	....	10	....	.....	300 00	400 00
2	2	7 00	....	1 24	....	20 65	250 00	400 00
3	2	3 75	....	1 75	7 00	21 18	142 00	200 00
1	3	6 00	...	60	...	11 91	200 00	400 00
2	3	24 00	1 20	2 78	2 00	.....	200 00	400 00
3	3	27 00	3 50	7 10	2 60	60 23	200 00	400 00
4	3	23 00	60	87	....	20 08	200 00	400 00
5	3	18 00	....	1 55	12 00	27 26	200 00	200 00
1	4	18 75	....	1 30	....	53 36	300 00	500 00
1	4	....	....	....	....	.....	100 00	.....
2	4	12 25	...	30	....	.....	200 00	400 00
1	5	12 00	5 00	5 05	2 40	8 55	300 00	500 00
1	5	....	....	....	....	.....	187 52	.....
2	5	19 57	22 15	5 63	....	16 33	300 00	500 00
3	5	12 00	....	3 59	....	14 21	287 00	400 00
4	5	31 50	....	1 35	5 00	.....	250 00	700 00
5	5	11 12	24 25	7 08	....	9 30	239 50	400 00
		$301 19	$66 20	$50 99	$31 00	$350 36	$5,106 02	$8,500 00

COLORED SCHOOLS.—*Receipts and Disbursements for the year ending September* 30, 1879.

RECEIPTS.

Unexpended balance of previous appropriation	$1,722 27
Amount Received from State Treasurer	4,176 96
Sales of Books	211 27
	$6,110 50

DISBURSEMENTS.

Paid for Teachers' Salaries	$4,370 70	
Incidental expenses	46 53	
Rent	25 00	
Fuel	276 82	
Books and Stationery	327 06	
Balance cash on hand	1,064 39	
		$6,110 50

MONTGOMERY COUNTY—*Statement of Receipts and Disbursements for Public School Purposes, for the Year ending September* 30, 1879.

RECEIPTS.

Balance on hand September 30, 1878		$8,197 70
State School Tax		9,967 95
State Free School Fund		2,623 89
County School Tax at .. cents on the $100		18,955 67
Amount of levy	$15,000.00.	
Sales of Books		873 47
State appropriation to colored schools		4,176 96
Fire Insurance Company		25 28
Borrowed		62 41
		$44,883 33.

DISBURSEMENTS.

Balance due to Treasurer September 30, 1878	$ 7,903 69	
Teachers' Salaries	23,983 51	
Fuel	440 33	
Incidental Expenses of Schools	154 82	
Rent	60 00	
Books and Stationery	2,444 66	
Building School Houses	122 39	
Repairing " "	112 25	
Furniture, Black Boards and Stoves	394 10	
Interest	195 94	
Salary of Secretary, Treasurer and Examiner	893 44	
Per Diem of School Commissioners	280 20	
Paid to Colored Schools	4,834 84	
Insurance Interest	72 86	
Paid F. and M. Bank, (borrowed money)	2,968 50	
Balance Cash on hand	21 80	
		$44,883 33

PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY.

DR. W. W. DUVALL, *President.* T. S. STONE, *Secretary, &c.*

Prof. M. A. Newell,

DEAR SIR: We herewith respectfully submit the annual report of the Public Schools of Prince George's County for the year 1879.

The accompanying tables, when accurately filled out, are so comprehensive, so perfect in form and arrangement, as to give at a glance all information that can reasonably be asked for by the public.

We are pleased, however, to avail ourselves of the privilege of the written report to invite public attention particularly to our financial exhibit made on margin of financial table.

From this financial statement it will be seen that the resources of the School Board exceed its liabilities by 2,327.21 dollars.

The amount, 9,020.74 dollars, entered as due Treasurer, is a debt that the County owes to its public schools, and which it is gradually paying into the school treasury.

To be able, at this time to show a net balance of over two thousand dollars to the credit of the School Board, is not only a pleasing exhibit to be made to the people of our County, but when taken in connection with the work accomplished by the School Commissioners during the past eight years is, we think, the strongest possible proof that the Public School Fund has been judiciously managed. For during that period our schools, with the exception of a single quarter, have been regularly kept opened ten months each year; our teachers have been paid an average salary of from 400 to 420 dollars, and two-thirds of the number of our old school-houses have been replaced by new and comfortable buildings, supplied with the very best school furniture. Still we need at least seven new buildings to accommodate the rapidly increasing number of children applying for admission to the schools, the old houses being past repair and already over-crowded.

But how these houses are to be built we cannot at present see, the aggregate received from State and County tax being barely sufficient to pay teachers salaries and current expenses of schools.

That our schools have grown in popular favor may be readily inferred from the yearly increase in the average attendance and from the significant fact that we are no longer harassed by complaints against public school teachers.

That our teachers have also increased in efficiency in the school room we do feel assured; every means has been employed by the School Board to keep them up to the required standard of proficiency in the various branches taught and to instruct them in the method of teaching, and we do believe that many of our schools do now accomplish more in a single day than was formerly done by the same schools in six months.

In our last report to the State we showed twenty-one colored schools in operation, nineteen of these as held in houses owned by the County; since that report was made, we have built three additional houses, and now have twenty-two schools at work under trained colored teachers.

These schools have received especial attention from the Examiner, and are claimed by him to be equal to any of their grade in the State.

In reporting value of school property we approximate as nearly as possible its present cash value. Some of the school houses were built when material was more costly and charges of workmen higher than at present, and of course cost more than they are now valued for.

In conclusion, allow us to express the hope that our next Legislature may leave intact our School Law, thereby affording to the school men of the State an opportunity of further promoting the interest of the public schools, under the excellent system which the State in its wisdom has already provided.

DR. W. W. DUVALL, *President.*

T. S. STONE, *Secretary.*

PRINCE GEORGE COUNTY—SUMMARY OF SCHOOL STATISTICS

For Year Ending September 30, 1879.

	White.	Col'd.	1878.	1879.
Number of School Houses—Frame	41	22	60	63
" " Male Teachers, (Principals)	18	17	32	35
" " Female " "	26	6	30	32
" " Male " (Assistants)	1	..	1	1
" " Female " "	3	..	3	3
Total	48	23	66	71
Number of Fenced Lots	3	..	3	3
" " Schools having Out-buildings	24	8	26	32
" " " " sufficient Black-boards	41	22	..	63
" " " " good Furniture	31	19	50	50
" " Terms Schools were open	4	4	4	4
" " different Pupils for the year—Males	1,143	705		
Females	1,047	703		
Total			3,477	3,595
Pupils in average attendance—White	1,035	570		
" Official School Visits paid by Examiner	100	44	132	144
Average enrollment	1,691	1,021	2,563	2,741

Number of Pupils.

	Fall Term.		Winter Term.		Spring Term.		Summer Term.	
	1878.	1879.	1878.	1879.	1878.	1879.	1878.	1879.
On Roll	2,097	2,486	2,647	2,803	2,854	2,978	2,654	2,697
Av. attendance	1,283	1,558	1,513	1,560	1,774	1,746	1,532	1,561

	1878.	1879.
Number Pupils in 1st Grade Dec. 1	331	388
" " 2d " " 1	250	333
" " 3d " " 1	294	307
" " 4th " " 1	2[illegible]8	292
" " 5th " " 1	214	219
" " 6th " " 1	126	125
" " above 6th " " 1	28	34

" " in Book keeping, 21; Algebra, 52; Philosophy, 30; Drawing, 164; Geometry, 9; Physiology, 26; Latin, 4

School Houses Built or Enlarged during the Year.

No. of School.	District.	Brick or Frame.	Cost.	Length.	Width.	Height.	Square Feet of Blackboard.	Out-Buildings, Yes or No.	Fences, Yes or No.	Cost of Furniture
1	9	Frame.	$335 00	24	20	11	52	Yes.	No.	$ 95 03
*2	5	Frame.	†253 91	24	20	11	52	No	No.	93 10
*2	9	Frame.	295 50	24	20	11	52	No	No.	94 71
*1	13	Frame.	375 00	24	20	11	52	No.	No.	97 77

* Colored Schools. † Reported in 1878, credit of $95.09 in that report.

PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY—SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Attendance for the year ending June 30, 1879.*

No. of School.	District.	Name of Teacher.	Fall Term.		Winter Term.		Spring Term.		Summer Term.		No. of different pupils for the year.
			On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	
1	1	Maggie E Darcy	25	18	41	20	43	27	43	23	51
2	1	Albert W. Sisk	31	17	36	16	34	13	32	13	43
3	1	Susan W. Kebs	26	15	25	13	19	11	16	9	34
4	1	Georgia V. Cooksey	32	19	32	17	27	12	28	15	35
5	1	Hattie H. Byland	21	12	25	13	28	18	29	19	47
6	1	Mary H. Eversfield	18	15	31	15	34	19	32	19	41
1	2	Zach R. Morgan	64	37	65	45	68	46	66	44	81
2	2	Belle R. Nally	43	32	43	27	50	30	46	32	55
1	3	Alice Harper	25	16	27	14	29	17	37	24	51
2	3	Lottie Candee	50	32	47	24	40	21	38	19	64
3	3	Belle M. Dorsett	30	18	30	24	40	21	29	20	29
1	4	Geo W. Day	32	18	29	14	26	17	26	16	40
2	4	Kate Traband	27	19	29	18	27	21	28	17	34
3	4	Mattie A. Perrie	42	30	52	33	53	42	43	28	56
1	5	Jane H. Latimer	33	20	36	18	37	19	37	28	43
2	5	Emma Jones	19	10	27	15	29	19	26	18	29
3	5	Alice M. Lambert	29	15	29	11	....	....	....	....	...
3	5	Henry S. Williams	....	....	....	....	23	15	32	16	38
4	5	Emma Shere	24	14	32	16	35	15	31	18	46
5	5	James M. Steed	31	8	36	20	39	23	38	19	43
1	6	Sam B. Scott	40	26	37	20	36	18	30	18	40
2	6	Mary J. Marriott	43	28	46	27	51	28	47	25	63
3	6	Susan E. Bryan	47	33	49	26	51	28	50	30	62
4	6	Alonzo G. Darcy	65	38	62	28	56	25	46	24	85

1	7	Kate E. Latimer	42	28	49	29	55	33	50	36	68
2	7	Geo. H Marriott	30	21	27	16	34	17	32	20	40
3	7	Edward E. Perkins	33	18	35	17	39	19	30	17	45
4	7	Frank Gordon	49	22	39	20	45	24	32	10	62
5	7	Jas. W. Read	27	14	39	20	41	19	41	18	41
1	8	Mary E. Waters	37	27	37	29	40	30	41	30	41
2	8	Jas. W. Richards	32	23	43	27	34	24	40	26	53
3	8	Lottie E. Ferrie	45	28	41	23	45	26	47	29	57
1	9	Wm. R. Will	38	24	48	33	....	....	....	....	....
1	9	Chas. W. Claggett	....	....	....	....	61	25	66	32	66
2	9	Lewis Fretch	26	16	30	20	....	....	....	....	....
2	9	Carrie Fritch	....	....	....	....	32	15	33	17	40
1	10	Jas. R. Phillips	174	140	164	125	164	114	152	115	178
2	10	Sarah E. Whiteside	29	20	35	24	29	25	36	26	62
1	11	Sidney E. Mudd	31	19	27	17	....	....	....	....	....
1	11	Wm. R. Will	....	....	....	....	36	30	46	34	46
2	11	Wm. C. Tippett	26	21	38	25	40	30	34	25	45
3	11	Wm. M Wilson	37	23	43	28	43	29	40	31	54
1	12	Emma J. Gillott	106	61	99	60	105	60	95	60	120
1	13	Lucy E. Lanham	16	11	21	13	25	17	22	14	26
2	13	Jas. E. Benjamim	29	15	21	13	27	19	24	13	36
			1604	1021	1702	1013	1770	1061	1691	1047	2190

PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY—SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Expenses for year ending September* 30, 1879.

No. of School.	District.	Value of School Property.	Fuel.	Repairs.	Other Incidental Expenses.	Furniture, Black Boards, Stoves.	Cost of Books.	Teachers' Salaries for the Year.
1	1	$750 00	$16 00	$....	$5 60	$ 1 40	$.....	$342 12
2	1	750 00	12 00	....	1 95	106 20	. ...	377 00
3	1	600 00	10 00	....	20	.....	.....	363 75
4	1	300 00	....	135 83	2 45	... ..	11 12	377 50
5	1	650 00	13 50	....	3 20	.....	.....	377 50
6	1	250 00	16 50	.. .	3 30	.....	.....	384 75
1	2	750 00	24 50	4 53	2 25	21 50	42 09	450 00
2	2	800 00	12 00	....	9 30	.....	.....	450 00
1	3	650 00	....	....	16 80	.....	30 14	390 00
2	3	700 00	10 00	....	2 70	80 97	13 44	417 50
3	3	700 00	19 12	4 00	11 97	94 20	21 13	405 86
1	4	700 00	23 00	....	9 13	.....	24 55	381 56
2	4	700 00	17 00	....	10 75	2 10	10 13	396 25
3	4	750 00	31 00	....	2 61	.....	35 00	450 00
1	5	300 00	14 00	....	2 85	.....	16 32	406 25
2	5	50 00	5 80	2 50	22 43	....	12 84	377 50
3	5	200 00	12 00	....	2 28	.....	3 33	371 25
4	5	300 00	13 00	....	3 75	.....	15 85	378 75
5	5	100 00	9 00	...	1 80	.....	22 42	390 00
1	6	750 00	17 50	....	1 00	108 47	21 90	402 50
2	6	750 00	20 00	....	22 60	122 52	25 17	433 75
3	6	300 00	15 00	....	9 75	.....	.....	442 50
4	6	750 00	15 00	....	1 92	.....	19 40	443 75
1	7	600 00	15 00	....	18 29	.....	29 60	446 24
2	7	750 00	15 00	....	30	.....	.....	389 00
3	7	250 00	10 00	....	1 25	99 70	2 06	388 75
4	7	100 00	10 00	....	2 93	.....	9 80	395 00
5	7	700 00	13 25	....	4 90	.....	24 66	390 75
1	8	750 00	32 80	...	2 62	2 50	22 01	445 00
2	8	750 00	15 00	....	50	99 70	4 35	426 43
3	8	650 00	16 00	....	6 50	19 00	32 47	434 04
1	9	500 00	16 00	....	18 40	6 50	17 90	434 50
2	9	600 00	20 00	1 60	1 25	.....	11 06	385 00
*1	10	....	87 50	3 96	98 93	8 08	89 10	2,150 00
2	10	250 00	17 00	1 50	6 68	101 20	14 87	418 75
1	11	700 00	20 00	....	5 25	.....	17 02	351 25
2	11	750 00	15 00	....	38	1 50	33 76	426 25
3	11	250 00	15 00	1 00	50	.....	39 38	436 25
1	12	850 00	32 75	...	7 90	92 17	5 01	750 00
1	13	200 00	15 00	....	2 85	.....	.....	368 75
2	13	750 00	16 00	....	2 05	4 10	.....	375 00
		$26,450 00	$707 22	$154 92	$332 07	$971 81	$677 88	$18,621 00

* Not owned by the County.

PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY—COLORED SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Attendance for the year ending June* 30, 1879.

No. of School.	District.	Name of Teacher.	Fall Term.		Winter Term.		Spring Term		Summer Term.		No. of different pupils for the year
			On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	
1	1	Wm. H. Stewart	36	16	21	21	36	20	41	19	63
2	1	Jas. T. Hill	60	39	80	28	65	32	48	32	61
1	2	Ferd G. Hall	62	40	53	35	46	32	53	33	68
1	3	Phil. H. Lumpkins	63	49	74	46	77	52	66	44	81
2	3	John H. Thomas	36	17	36	18	49	26	36	18	54
1	4	John H. Fountain	66	29	90	26	95	50	88	35	118
2	4	Jas. A. Johnson	44	29	31	20	47	27	41	22	62
1	5	Albert A. Bobson	20	11	51	15	55	27	52	17	55
2	5	Wm. T. Merchant	15	8	27	13	45	28	44	19	45
1	6	Burns Harlan	30	18	30	13	29	14	20	10	40
1	7	Wm. L. Watkins	36	21	43	18	54	29	40	18	65
2	7	Esther Brown	61	43	65	55	64	48	48	19	70
1	8	Maggie Fredericks	54	36	103	61	104	67	96	43	117
2	8	Julia B. Battles	36	26	72	41	82	58	62	37	79
1	9	Jas. H. Fleet	18	14	32	16	44	20	27	10	49
2	9	Alice Lee	25	10	33	13	47	24	49	28	51
1	10	Fannie E. Brooks	27	20	27	17	21	14	16	13	27
1	11	Lewis R. Merchant	49	26	61	17	63	26	32	26	63
2	11	John Tomlinson	24	15	28	11	37	18	32	15	69
1	12	Josephine E. Hatton	64	38	85	39	84	39	70	35	105
1	13	Rob't L. Peters	33	18	33	14	....	....	...	....	....
1	13	Wm. E. Bruce	...	....	....	....	39	18	25	9	33
2	13	Henson Stewart	23	14	26	10	25	16	20	12	30
			882	537	1101	547	1208	685	1006	514	1405

PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY—COLORED SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Expenses for Year ending September* 30, 1879.

No. of School.	District.	Value of School Property.	Fuel.	Repairs.	Other Incidental Expenses.	Furniture, Black Boards, Stoves.	Cost of Books	Teachers' Salaries for the year.
1	1	$400 00	$10 00	$6 50	$4 81	$.....	$.....	$250 00
2	1	450 00	10 00	9 73	14 55	.....	.....	250 00
1	2	500 00	23 75	....	15 48	88 55	7 86	250 00
1	3	450 00	11 25	....	....	.....	13 68	250 00
2	3	400 00	10 00	....	1 00	.....	5 15	250 00
1	4	400 00	13 50	....	11 11	.....	17 48	249 00
2	4	400 00	22 75	....	16 75	.....	22 69	221 79
1	5	400 00	20 00	....	20	.....	4 70	250 00
2	5	400 00	...	....	4 10	93 10	11 08	235 82
1	6	375 00	10 00	20 80	25	.....	.....	250 00
1	7	400 00	14 00	....	1 37	.....	24 37	250 00
2	7	350 00	14 00	....	5 35	.....	19 56	250 00
1	8	400 00	30 80	....	70	.....	16 78	165 50
2	8	400 00	....	....	35	.....	13 60	250 00
1	9	400 00	22 00	35 00	3 25	85 60	13 95	250 00
2	9	350 00	8 00	...	75	94 71	6 33	250 00
1	10	400 00	8 00	....	8 50	.....	8 14	244 20
1	11	350 00	10 00	....	15	.....	8 31	250 00
2	11	350 00	10 00	....	2 40	.....	.....	250 00
1	12	500 00	....	....	2 45	.....	.....	250 00
1	13	400 00	11 00	....	2 00	97 77	.....	250 00
2	13	375 00	10 50	....	7 90	.....	7 40	250 00
		$8,850 00	$269 55	$72 03	$103 42	$459 73	$201 08	$5,366 31

COLORED SCHOOLS.—*Receipts and Disbursements for the year ending September* 30, 1879.

RECEIPTS.

Unexpended balance of previous appropriation	$2,318 36
Amount received from State Treasurer	5,763 44
Sale of books	172 05
	$8,253 85

DISBURSEMENTS.

Paid for Teachers' Salaries	$5,366 31	
Incidental Expenses	635 18	
Examiner's Salary	277 45	
Fuel	269 55	
Books and Stationery	26 00	
Building School Houses	924 41	
Building School Out Houses	20 00	
Purchase and Survey School Lots	189 00	
Clerk, Sheriff and Attorney Fees	187 70	
Per diem	17 00	
Balance Cash on hand	341 25	
		$8,253 85

PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY.—*Statement of Receipts and Disbursements for Public School Purposes, for the Year ending September 30, 1879.*

RECEIPTS.

Balance on hand September 30, 1878		$ 4,546 00
State School Tax		10,748 09
State Free School Fund		1,796 58
State Donations		800 00
County School Tax at ... cents on the $100		9,792 45
Amount of Levy	$10,000.00.	
Book Fees		500 75
State Appropriation to Colored Schools		5,763 44
Sale of School Lot		50 00

SCHOOL COMMISSIONERS.	DR.	CR.	
To Bank Note	$5,000 00		
Teachers' Salaries	557 38		
Rent	300 00		
Book Account	619 21		
Printing	125 49		
Furniture	91 45		
By amount due		$9,020 74	
Balance	2,327 21		
	$9,020 74	$9,020 74	9,020 74
			$43,018 05

DISBURSEMENTS.

Balance due to Treasurer September 30, 1878		$ 9,020 74	
Teachers' Salaries		18,621 00	
Fuel		707 22	
Incidental Expenses of Schools		332 07	
Rent		2 50	
Books and Stationery		1,385 13	
Building School Houses		335 00	
Repairing "		154 92	
Furniture, Black Boards and Stoves		971 81	
High Schools and Academies		562 50	
Interest and Exchange		274 33	
Salary of Secretary, Treasurer and Examiner		536 75	
Per Diem of School Commissioners		179 00	
Office Expenses and Account Books		52 88	
Printing and Advertising		100 00	
Paid to Colored Schools		7,740 55	
Building School Out Houses		134 12	
Fencing School Lot		64 00	
Salary due Examiner on September 30, 1878		475 26	
" " Estate M. J. Stone		469 62	
Distributing Books		70 14	
Clerk Fees		5 75	
Expenses State Teachers' Association		42 48	
Attorney's Fees		50 00	
Teachers' Salaries, 1876		99 43	
Balance—White Schools	$289 60		
" Colored "	341 25	630 85	
			$43,018 05

QUEEN ANNE COUNTY.

Prof. M. A. Newell:

DEAR SIR: I send you my annual report. It contains all the information you need. Our School Board did not ask for as large an amount of money this year as formerly, as they had determined to reduce salaries fifteen per cent., and would not need as much. Heretofore when my report was made we had a considerable balance in the hands of Collectors, besides a balance in my hands as Treasurer. There is still a small balance in my hands, but smaller than usual, and the Collectors have paid up in full. This has never been the case before since the present system was adopted. Next year we will have nothing but the resources of the year to rely upon, and no balances, but we have sufficient means secured to keep the schools open for ten months at the decreased rate of salary, as, while nobody owes us (except a small amount from a neighboring County, on account of a joint school), we owe nobody a cent, and, therefore, we commence the year with a square balance sheet. I will send you a copy of my report as soon as the newspapers containing it shall be published.

Very truly yours, &c.,

JAMES W. THOMPSON,

Examiner, &c.

QUEEN ANNE COUNTY—SUMMARY OF SCHOOL STATISTICS

For year ending September 30, 1879.

	1878.	1879.
Number of School Houses—Frame 46; Brick 6	52	52
Number of Male Teachers (Principals)	27	26
" Female " "	25	26
" Male " (Assistants)	1	1
" Female " "	1	2
Total	54	55
Number of Fenced Lots	16	18
" Schools having Out-Buildings	52	53
" " having sufficient Black-Boards	52	52
" " having good Furniture and modern	52	52
" Terms Schools were Open	4	4
" Different Pupils for the year, { White..2,835 / Colored.1,133 }	3,986	3,968
" Pupils in average attendance	1,423	1,417
" Official School Visits paid by Examiner	216	213

Number of Pupils.

	Fall Term.	Winter Term.	Spring Term	Summer Term
On Roll	2,232	3,008	2,959	2,339
Av. Attendance	1,197	1,669	1,640	1,163

	1878	1879
Number of Pupils in 1st Grade December 1	601	624
" " 2d " "	410	370
" " 3d " "	435	500
" " 4th " "	278	327
" " 5th " "	222	245
" " 6th " "	135	122
" " Above 6th "	19	9

" " Book-Keeping 44; Algebra 58; Philosophy 80; Drawing 35; Geometry 34; Physiology 92; Latin 10.

School Houses Built or Enlarged During the Year.

No. of Schools.	District.	Brick or Frame.	Cost.	Length.	Width.	Height.	Square feet of Black-Board.	Out Buildings, Yes or No.	Fences, Yes or No	Cost of Furniture
12	1	Frame	$377 09	32	24	11	72	Yes	Yes.	$79 54
10	2	Frame	1,000 00	36	24	11	72	Yes.	Yes.	111 20

QUEEN ANNE COUNTY—SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Attendance for the year ending June* 30, 1879.

No. of School.	District.	Name of Teacher.	Fall Term.		Winter Term.		Spring Term.		Summer Term.		No. of different pupils for the Year.
			On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	
1	1	Charles W. Smith	49	26	62	41	70	51	50	28	86
2	1	James R. Dill	27	10	37	21	36	14	17	9	48
3	1	Edward L. Marvel	25	12	42	20	45	21	29	8	45
4	1	Ada N. Vane and Anna Wallen	11	6	24	14	24	17	25	16	31
5	1	Maggie E. Slaughter	30	20	40	23	36	22	25	15	49
6	1	Joseph R. Hazel	56	47	69	57	82	62	74	57	85
7	1	Samuel E Forman	33	21	52	33	46	27	26	19	66
8	1	Angie W. Downes	26	12	26	18	27	17	16	5	33
9	1	James Roe	23	14	33	15	34	23	32	16	40
10	1	Amanda Johns	34	17	49	23	50	27	28	13	71
11	1	Louis L. Beatty	61	46	78	52	85	53	65	38	91
12	1	Britton D. Evans	24	13	29	21	32	15	26	12	38
1	2	Minnie Davis	66	28	43	25	51	32	53	36	79
2	2	Eliza K. Phœbus	14	11	22	13	30	16	18	12	38
3	2	George A. Barton	67	37	76	38	64	36	51	26	93
4	2	Thomas F. McElligott	68	41	54	34	68	41	62	41	89
5	2	David H. Crane and Assistant	91	58	122	34	109	63	103	31	140
6	2	Jennie M. Friel	42	16	49	23	40	13	26	9	64
7	2	Anna Holland	30	18	43	20	49	24	40	13	64
8	2	Esther A. Phœbus	22	13	26	17	33	11	24	12	49
9	2	Emma S. Carson	34	11	44	21	49	23	34	17	95
10	2	Edwin S Valliant	....	....	....	....	...	...	....	....	....
1	3	S. Lillian Bowen	20	9	35	18	38	19	29	10	48
2	3	Alfred Tucker	35	19	45	24	53	21	40	21	73

3	3	William B. Downes	18	10	31	19	28	10	17	9	39
4	3	Katie Davis	30	10	30	14	39	19	30	10	52
5	3	William E. Thompson	41	29	44	30	41	33	36	18	51
6	3	George W Bailey	21	4	27	13	22	11	15	4	42
7	3	Julia V. Downes	20	11	24	12	21	12	19	9	25
8	3	Albert G. Harley, Sr	21	15	30	20	27	21	23	14	32
9	3	Mary C. Bowland and Assistant	71	54	70	53	77	59	76	43	87
1	4	Katie H. Worthington	26	14	21	14	30	20	26	16	39
2	4	Lillie A. Browne	30	16	34	25	35	25	32	15	46
3	4	Etta A Tolson	16	10	21	8	21	14	21	12	23
4	4	Sallie W. Goodhand	15	8	16	10	22	14	21	11	25
5	4	William C. Tucker	23	9	19	10	30	16	29	7	39
6	4	John O. Phillips	32	16	41	25	50	30	39	20	51
7	4	John A. Thompson	16	6	24	8	18	7	19	8	28
1	5	Florence McCloud	25	13	30	18	33	18	21	12	36
2	5	William J Boyer	27	10	45	23	49	25	36	14	58
3	5	Eugenia Ewing	18	6	27	15	28	15	18	11	40
4	5	Sophie S. Hungerford	13	10	14	11	17	11	19	11	21
5	5	Powell F. Johns	38	21	43	26	53	28	46	21	61
6	5	Nora R. Blount	26	13	31	17	30	18	27	17	38
7	5	William E. Thomas	47	26	59	39	80	62	62	51	80
8	5	Mary F. Clarke	27	17	26	12	38	25	37	20	38
9	5	Albert G Harley, Jr	15	8	25	16	21	12	23	10	25
1	6	Fannie Downes	15	9	15	9	18	10	17	5	26
2	6	Thomas H. Downes	36	19	51	26	60	32	45	16	81
3	6	Mollie Bailey	30	11	42	15	38	21	28	9	51
4	6	James T. Anthony	35	19	48	23	54	26	41	17	73
5	6	Jesse M. Green	38	21	54	32	58	26	38	13	63
6	6	Lizzie R. Friel	33	17	44	29	42	22	28	11	50
			1691	937	2086	1177	2231	1290	1792	898	2835

QUEEN ANNE COUNTY—SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Expenses for year ending September* 30, 1879.

No. of School.	District.	Value of School Property.	Fuel.	Repairs.	Other Incidental Expenses.	Furniture, Black Boards, Stoves.	Teachers' Salaries for the year.	Receipts from Books.
1	1	$1,800 00	$10 00	$....	$37 93	$.....	$400 00	$10 66
2	1	1 000 00	16 00	17 69	2 97	1 75	400 00	11 58
3	1	400 00	16 00	43 90	14 85	7 00	400 00	36 32
4	1	600 00	11 00	64 75	....	20 00	400 00	8 86
5	1	600 00	16 50	....	9 89	.....	400 00	13 71
6	1	1,800 00	25 11	53 25	27 84	135 76	512 50	80 40
7	1	1,200 00	24 70	4 80	13 96	4 40	400 00	46 57
8	1	800 00	17 00	....	25 68	...	400 00	16 87
9	1	500 00	10 50	1 05	3 90	.....	400 00	26 54
10	1	500 00	9 00	....	26 28	85 75	400 00	14 76
11	1	1,500 00	23 25	47 50	24 17	.....	400 00	56 39
12	1	500 00	17 62	377 09	6 63	89 54	400 00	11 88
1	2	1,000 00	17 50	....	9 04	.....	400 00	26 67
2	2	400 00	17 85	1 75	8 74	16 50	400 00	8 83
3	2	900 60	6 00	21 30	28 84	125 10	400 00	67 71
4	2	900 60	24 63	12 50	6 05	16 00	400 00	50 40
5	2	1,800 00	44 22	1 55	49 42	25	600 00	134 24
6	2	800 00	12 50	....	4 64	1 60	400 00	17 30
7	2	800 00	10 00	23 06	9 87	.....	400 00	17 28
8	2	800 00	16 00	....	1 60	2 75	400 00	26 19
9	2	1,000 00	16 50	120 24	28 69	93 65	400 00	44 25
10	2	... .	....	1000 00	...	111 20	.....	.....
1	3	700 00	11 00	6 00	4 82	.....	400 00	11 05
2	3	1,500 00	13 00	35	7 52	.....	400 00	15 82
3	3	400 00	3 75	60	3 55	.....	400 00	16 82
4	3	500 00	11 13	10 56	13 50	12 25	400 00	25 42
5	3	*	18 25	11 04	24 20	15 70	500 00	36 04
6	3	400 00	7 50	4 25	8 92	.....	400 00	12 38
7	3	1,000 00	19 20	8 55	10 38	.....	400 00	21 76
8	3	*	18 25	10 44	60 73	15 10	800 00	107 79
9	3	1,800 00	37 70	1 75	60 65	60	1,000 00	78 44
1	4	800 00	20 00	....	12 21	12 00	400 00	31 87
2	4	800 00	17 80	29 33	6 73	.....	400 00	20 58
3	4	1,000 00	22 20	....	2 92	.....	400 00	5 99
4	4	500 00	10 61	....	2 75	54 50	400 00	15 29
5	4	1,000 00	30 00	75	5 54	.....	400 00	15 07
6	4	900 90	25 60	1 75	12 93	65	400 00	22 19
7	4	600 00	6 00	....	10	2 70	366 10	9 86
1	5	600 00	16 89	18 00	9 61	2 75	400 00	24 17
2	5	1,000 00	21 48	29 14	29 44	.....	400 00	41 61
3	5	600 00	15 80	....	7 08	62 50	400 00	11 22
4	5	600 00	19 75	52 15	16 18	5 75	400 00	10 36
5	5	1,000 00	20 95	....	11 72	.....	400 00	42 87
6	5	1,200 00	20 75	85	8 66	.....	400 00	25 14
7	5	1,200 00	16 13	25 46	7 52	5 90	400 00	22 77

* Schools No. 5 and No. 8, E. District No. 3, are kept in the two rooms of Centreville Academy, and the building is occupied by those schools by the sufferance of the Trustees of the Academy. The building and furniture are worth from to $1,500 to $2,000.

QUEEN ANNE COUNTY—SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Expenses for year ending September* 30, 1879—Continued.

No. of School.	District.	Value of School Property.	Fuel.	Repairs.	Other Incidental Expenses.	Furniture, Black-Boards, Stoves.	Teachers' Salaries for the year.	Receipts from Books.
8	5	$1,000 00	$12 00	$....	$6 91	$	$400 00	$27 15
9	5	800 00	13 50	....	2 50	13 47	400 00	34 46
1	6	600 00	18 40	1 50	7 79	5 00	400 00	12 05
2	6	1,000 00	21 50	....	4 16	1 82	400 00	19 26
3	6	600 00	18 15	32 60	2 32	81 00	400 00	24 34
4	6	800 00	20 00	119 60	15 92	.....	400 00	30 61
5	6	1,000 00	16 00	4 00	90	.....	400 00	27 74
6	6	800 00	20 00	25	1 30	12 75	400 00	13 76
		$44,300 00	$905 17	$2,159 35	$710 45	$1,015 69	$22,178 60	$1,531 29

QUEEN ANNE COUNTY—COLORED SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Attendance for year ending June* 30, 1879.

No. of School.	District.	Name of Teacher.	Fall Term.		Winter Term.		Spring Term.		Summer Term.		No. of different pupils for the year.
			On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	
1	1	William H Scott	48	15	65	36	67	26	50	22	90
2	3	Charles B. Wilson	65	36	63	38	41	28	37	26	85
3	3	John P. Forrester	40	21	63	35	65	34	58	23	78
4	5	Eleanora Page	55	25	93	34	56	31	43	22	111
5	5	Sarah J. C. Vodery	41	19	74	17	78	37	46	19	88
6	4	William K. Browne	26	15	42	27	37	24	31	19	57
7	2	Evelyn Wright	43	19	75	40	42	24	35	14	87
8	1	Laura A. Fields	39	12	96	46	64	20	37	12	109
9	2	Kate D. Smith	33	17	50	27	41	22	29	17	62
10	6	James Jackson	28	11	60	31	39	16	22	8	66
11	4	Lizzie J. R. Haley	18	12	51	47	37	22	41	36	71
12	3	Charles F. Daley	26	18	44	32	46	21	46	12	46
13	1	Charles F. Vodery	20	14	43	25	36	17	20	15	52
14	6	Edwin O. O. Saunders	25	10	64	37	37	15	22	7	76
15	2	Virginia Pumphrey	34	16	39	20	42	13	30	13	55
			541	260	922	492	728	350	547	265	1133

QUEEN ANNE COUNTY—COLORED SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Expenses for year ending September* 30, 1879.

No. of School.	District.	Value of School Property.	Repairs.	Other Incidental Expenses.	Furniture, Black Boards, Stoves.	Teachers' Salaries for the year.	Total Expenses.	Receipts from Books.
1	1	Church.	$	$1 46	$....	$270 00	$271 46	$20 71
2	3	Church.	....	40	....	270 00	270 40	21 26
3	3	$400 00	....	40	....	267 10	267 50	27 69
4	5	200 00	....	40	..	270 00	270 40	16 84
5	5	150 00	...	40	....	270 00	270 40	9 39
6	4	100 00	....	4 40	....	270 00	274 40	3 14
7	2	Church.	....	20	....	270 00	270 20	1 33
8	1	150 00	...	30	...	270 00	270 30	13 84
9	2	Church.	....	40	....	270 00	270 40	6 50
10	6	Church.	3 00	3 86	....	270 00	276 86	8 82
11	4	Church.	....	30	....	250 00	250 30	11 70
12	3	Church.	....	95	1 00	270 00	271 95	2 23
13	1	Church.	....	30	....	270 00	270 30	6 83
14	6	Church.	....	40	....	270 00	270 40	12 55
15	2	Church.	...	20	...	260 00	260 20	7 32
		$1,000 00	$3 00	$14 37	$1 00	$4,017 10	$4,035 47	$170 15

COLORED SCHOOLS—*Receipts and Disbursements for the year ending September* 30, 1879.

RECEIPTS.

Unexpended balance of previous appropriation	$316 63
Amount received from State Treasurer	3,982 76
Amount received from County School Board	300 00
Amount received from Licenses to Catch Oysters	82 65
	$4,682 04

DISBURSEMENTS.

Paid for Teachers' salaries	$4,017 10	
Incidental expenses	15 37	
Books and Stationery	50 00	
Other purposes	300 00	
Balance cash on hand	299 57	
		$4,682 04

QUEEN ANNE COUNTY—*Statement of Receipts and Disbursements for Public School Purposes, for the year ending September* 30, 1879.

RECEIPTS.

Balance on hand, September 30, 1878		$ 906 52
State School Tax		8,402 73
State Free School Fund		1,692 75
State Donations		1,000 00
County School Tax at .. Cents on $100		15,000 00
Amount of Levy (all paid)	$15,000 00	
Interest on investments		804 00
Sales of Books		1,751 44
State Appropriation to Colored Schools		3,982 76
County levy for Colored Schools		200 00
Received from old Collector a balance, not before collected, (included in County Tax in tables)		1,199 80
Oyster Licenses		396 15
Caroline School Board for joint school for 1878		209 85
Other Items		205 18
Balance due Colored Schools September 30, 1878		316 63
		$36,067 81

DISBURSEMENTS.

Teachers' Salaries	$ 22,178 50	
Fuel	905 17	
Incidental Expenses of Schools	652 73	
Rent	80 00	
Books and Stationery	1,807 43	
Building School Houses and Repairing	2,161 85	
Furniture, Black Boards and Stoves	1,002 22	
Interest	11 44	
Salary of Secretary, Treasurer and Examiner	1,500 00	
Per Diem of School Commissioners	185 50	
Office expenses and Account Books	649 54	
Printing and Advertising	57 25	
Paid to Colored Schools	4,082 47	
Balance Cash on Hand	793 71	
		$36,067 81

ST. MARY'S COUNTY.

Prof. M. A. Newell, Secretary State Board of Education.

SIR: I have the honor herewith to transmit my annual report for the year ending September 30, 1879.

The cash balance is not so large as has heretofore been the case. This is not to be wondered at, since by reference, it will be found that the payments from the State on account of Public School Tax fall nearly $1,200 short of what they were for the previous financial year. This, taken in connection with the fact that the payments on account of the Free School Fund are also in arrears in about the same amount, cannot but impress one uncomfortably.

A certain amount is levied by the representatives of the people for public school purposes, a certain other sum is pledged on the faith of the State to be paid in return for funds used which were the gift of the General Government, and yet the amounts due are not paid over. Surely there can and should be some means devised to compel the payments that are so very necessary. The failure on the part of the State to make the full payments has caused trouble in some sections, even necessitating the temporary suspension of the schools.

Our schools have fortunately not been closed in St. Mary's, and we have gone on with the necessary building and repairs; but another such short payment on the part of the State must seriously cripple us. Twice in the course of three years to lose so large a sum is too serious a thing to be lightly regarded, in view of the already miserably small compensation paid to our teaching, and the worse than indifferent character of the school houses and furniture as at present provided. The Treasurer should be placed in a position to *know* what the State will pay over to him within reasonable limits, otherwise he is weakened when he should be most strong, and wounded in his most vulnerable point.

I trust that in our Legislature, that will assemble next winter, there may be found some to take the public school question under most careful consideration; to lop off, if need be, any excrescences that may be found to deform our present system, but with jealous care to guard its chief features and protect it from envious assault.

I may not be qualified to speak advisedly regarding the operation of the system elsewhere, but with us I know it is doing an amount of good that only the future can fully make known. With us, as elsewhere, it has come to be a recognized fact that the public schools are no part of a pauper system. That the education to be given by the State is not to be limited to the miserable modicum of intellectual food with which the children of the very poor must be content, if no better be offered, or with which the needy offspring of the most ignorant and debased may be satisfied. The imperative demand of the near future will be for the very best schools that can be had, and the co-operative efforts of all good citizens to that end must bring about the desired result; but this co-operation to be effective must call to its aid active, thorough, searching supervision. The supervision must be of a kind to ensure on the one hand an honest and wise disbursement of the school funds, and on the other the employment of none but properly qualified teachers, regardless of local or other prejudices; and such teachers when obtained must be retained by being paid, for good work well done, a fitting compensation.

Respectfully,

GEO. THOMAS.

ST. MARY'S COUNTY—SUMMARY OF SCHOOL STATISTICS

For the Year ending September 30, 1879.

		1879.	1878.
Number of School Houses—White 39, Col'd 18—Frame 55; Log 2		57	56
Number of Male Teachers (Principals)		43	44
" Female " "		14	15
Total		57	59
Number of Fenced Lots		2	2
" Schools without sufficient Black-boards		22	22
" " having good Furniture		17	13
" Terms Schools were Open		4	4
" Different Pupils for the Year—White	1,597		
Colored	1,164		
Total		2,761	2,583
" Pupils in average attendance—White	620		
Colored	327		
		947	924
" Official School Visits paid by Examiner		125	119

Number of Pupils.

	Fall Term.		Winter Term.		Spring Term.		Summer Term.	
	1879.	1878.	1879.	1878.	1879.	1878.	1879.	1878.
On roll	1,425	1,155	2,077	1,961	2,292	2,264	1,972	1,938
Av. attendance	725	534	860	878	1,224	1,317	980	968

	W.	C.	1879.	1878.
Number of Pupils in 1st Grade December 1	354	371	725	799
" " " 2d " " 1	243	247	490	412
" " " 3d " " 1	265	150	415	373
" " " 4th " " 1	229	60	289	239
" " " 5th " " 1	102	35	137	135
" " " 6th " " 1	63	13	76	47
" " " above 6th " 1	9	..	9	8

" " " Algebra, 4; Philosophy, 14; Drawing, 18; Geometry, 5; Physiology, 97; Latin, 19: Natural History, 6.

School Houses Built or Enlarged During the Year.

No. of Schools.	District.	Brick or Frame	Cost.	Length.	Width.	Height.	Square Feet of Black-Board.	Out-Buildings. Yes or No.	Fences. Yes or No.	Cost of Furniture.
3	3	Frame	$400 00	32 ft.	20 ft.	14 ft.	..	....	....	Old Fur. Used.
8	3	"	400 00	32	20	14	..	....	....	$72 08
5	2	"	325 00	32	20	14	..	....	....	*Not purchased

* The last-named not finished.

Two houses with sites were purchased from white department for use of colored department at a cost of $100 each, one of which has been improved at an additional cost of $100, making it a good and comfortable building.

ST. MARY'S COUNTY—SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Attendance for the year ending June* 30, 1879.

No. of School.	District.	Name of Teacher.	Fall Term.		Winter Term.		Spring Term.		Summer Term.		No. of different pupils for the year.
			On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	
1	1	Miss A. L. Wilburn	37	23	51	24	55	21	41	21	58
2	1	Geo. B. P. Taylor	16	9	16	8	18	11	19	13	24
3	1	Mrs. Lizzie Hammett	25	11	29	11	18	17	30	16	31
4	1	J. J. Langley	11	7	14	11	21	15	21	17	26
1	2	Jeff. B. Jarboe	23	7	33	16	36	21	35	25	42
2	2	Mrs. Mittie Goodwin	27	15	30	10	36	21	40	23	40
3	2	Mrs. M. A. Biscoe	23	11	26	9	24	15	22	15	31
4	2	Wm. B. Downs	18	10	35	13	47	17	42	13	50
5	2	Miss A. Lancaster	10	7	15	7	25	15	25	12	38
6	2	Thos. B. Gough	39	19	46	19	49	24	40	21	56
7	2	C. J. Foxwell	15	9	18	12	25	16	22	15	25
8	2	Miss M E. Alton	21	13	36	19	40	24	36	21	59
9	2	Chas. M. Bohanan	14	6	18	11	18	11	16	7	21
1	3	A. A. Drury	33	24	38	26	38	27	37	22	40
2	3	Miss Essie Wathen	23	14	25	15	25	18	25	16	31
3	3	J. P. Gough	20	12	34	13	43	25	34	17	48
4	3	J. N. Goldsborough	25	10	32	10	42	20	34	17	42
5	3	Wm. H. Ford	23	17	36	13	21	11	22	9	47
6	3	Dr. Wm. H. Stone	24	9	32	15	36	21	28	15	38
7	3	J. G. Perry	13	10	19	10	19	13	16	10	20
8	3	J. C. Howard	29	9	36	10	41	21	37	21	50
9	3	Wm. F. Perry	30	10	37	13	26	19	31	13	44
1	4	H. E. Goodrich	22	11	35	14	22	15	18	8	37
2	4	Miss S. T. Pennington	14	10	27	15	35	17	22	12	42

3	4	F. N. Holmes	29	15	25	14	36	22	29	13	45
4	4	Jesse Turner	27	17	34	20	33	21	32	21	37
5	4	R. D. Morgan	17	10	18	11	23	15	17	10	29
6	4	Hy. Wingate	36	21	44	25	49	35	41	29	52
1	5	J. W. H. Dixon	17	9	23	10	21	16	24	15	30
2	5	W. Hanison	31	20	31	18	32	23	33	22	37
3	5	Jno. A. Scott	19	9	27	12	28	14	24	11	32
1	6	Hy. O. Rudel	27	11	45	15	48	25	35	15	49
2	6	Miss Emma F. Graves	29	14	31	14	44	20	39	18	52
3	6	Wm. T. Bailey	18	7	33	10	29	17	29	14	40
4	6	Miss S. A. McElevee	43	25	44	17	38	23	44	29	48
5	6	Jerome Tucker	28	14	39	13	39	15	34	17	45
6	6	Miss Ada Baker	17	9	31	12	35	20	32	23	35
1	7	Miss M. D. Hodges	17	10	24	8	27	11	17	7	29
2	7	Miss Mary J. Burch	43	27	41	22	37	16	41	28	49
3	7	Z. D. Blakistone	35	16	38	10	32	10	33	19	48
			968	517	1246	555	1311	738	1197	670	1597

ST. MARY'S COUNTY—SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Expenses for year ending September* 30, 1879.

No. of Schools.	District.	Fuel.	Total Incidental Expenses.	Teachers' Salaries for the Year.
1	1	$5 00	$3 25	$341 86
2	1	5 00	25	300 00
3	1	3 00	....	335 08
4	1	2 50	49	400 00
1	2	5 00	45	300 00
2	2	3 37	1 55	278 68
3	2	2 62	87	300 00
4	2	1 38	....	300 00
5	2	5 00	43	275 32
6	2	....	....	263 36
7	2	5 20	40	286 40
8	2	2 00	3 25	300 12
9	2	4 50	....	295 66
1	3	5 75	10 97	400 00
2	3	12 31	12 67	300 00
3	3	2 55	2 65	300 00
4	3	2 75	1 25	300 00
5	3	3 00	4 85	300 00
6	3	5 62	...	300 00
7	3	6 50	....	300 00
8	3	2 00	4 30	300 00
9	3	10 00	2 83	300 00
1	4	6 25	1 25	293 00
2	4	3 00	2 80	300 00
3	4	7 50	1 75	305 68
4	4	6 25	3 50	400 00
5	4	5 00	3 18	300 00
6	4	8 00	4 55	300 00
1	5	4 50	3 08	288 92
2	5	7 00	2 15	381 90
3	5	7 95	75	300 00
1	6	7 50	9 85	300 00
2	6	6 25	1 18	300 00
3	6	4 50	3 48	278 60
4	6	4 00	3 27	265 80
5	6	6 25	5 91	500 00
6	6	....	3 05	272 60
1	7	....	...	300 00
2	7	5 00	1 77	300 00
3	7	2 50	2 68	300 00
		$186 50	$104 66	$12,262 98

ST. MARY'S COUNTY—COLORED SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Attendance for year ending June* 30, 1879.

No. of School.	District.	Name of Teacher.	Fall Term.		Winter Term.		Spring Term.		Summer Term.		No. of different pupils for the year.
			On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	
1	1	T. F. Magill	11	7	56	17	54	25	30	12	59
2	1	Jno. Cajay	63	30	131	52	147	87	111	52	156
1	2	Dr. Geo. S. King	35	14	74	12	85	16	95	13	84
2	2	L. Conquest	41	13	61	19	67	33	44	23	83
3	2	Wm. D. Heard	....	....	....	....	33	13	43	20	47
1	3	Jno. F. Duke	26	13	35	16	45	26	39	20	66
2	3	J. B. Mendenhall	...	....	....	....	23	14	33	16	33
3	3	Wm. G. Gough	11	9	21	10	36	19	23	7	58
1	4	Wm. C. Love	50	26	52	20	50	26	51	23	58
2	4	Jas. H. Brown	13	7	23	8	26	14	23	6	32
1	5	Jos. F. Shaw	35	17	54	28	57	32	48	20	63
2	5	Car. Roberts	30	15	51	25	60	44	45	28	72
3	5	J. Patt'son	12	11	34	32	40	36	44	29	44
1	6	F. A. Moran	35	6	68	17	84	37	62	22	97
2	6	Leo. J. Lathronne	....	....	42	12	53	21	37	14	61
1	7	M. M. Mendenhall	63	24	81	19	69	21	....	....	81
2	7	W. Logan	32	16	48	18	52	22	47	5	70
			457	208	.831	305	981	486	775	310	1164

ST. MARY'S COUNTY—COLORED SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Expenses for year ending September* 30, 1879.

No. of School.	District.	Fuel.	Total Incidental Expenses.	Teachers' Salaries for the Year.
1	1	$3 00	$ 30	$175 00
2	1	12 50	7 85	300 00
1	2	5 75	....	290 80
2	2	....	....	200 00
3	2	...	3 51	96 16
1	3	5 63	....	288 62
2	3	...	3 75	78 00
3	3	3 50	3 08	168 00
1	4	8 00	25	300 00
2	4	2 50	7 74	182 00
1	5	5 50	38	265 80
2	5	3 37	3 30	200 00
3	5	3 00	1 49	175 00
1	6	2 00	95	300 00
2	6	3 00	....	139 00
1	7	2 50	6 30	225 00
2	7	5 00	....	300 00
		$65 25	$38 90	$3,683 38

COLORED SCHOOLS—*Receipts and Disbursements for the Year ending September* 30, 1879.

Receipts		Disbursements.	
Unexpended Balance of previous Appropriation.....	$ 3,281 17	Paid for Teachers' Salaries.	$3,616 38
Amount received from State Treasurer..... ...	4,591 20	Incidental Expenses	38 90
Oyster License Fees.....	213 75	Rent	25 00
		Fuel.....	67 83
		* Other Purposes.....	570 14
		Repairs.....	70 24
		Building and Building Sites.	300 00
		Furniture.....	7 75
		Balance Cash on hand.....	3,389 88
	$8,086 12		$8,086 12

* In the main part, the pro rata share chargeable to Colored Fund for expenses of supervision, office expenses, &c ; also, amount refunded to White Fund on book account.

ST. MARY'S COUNTY.—*Statement of Receipts and Disbursements for Public School Purposes, for the Year ending September* 30, 1879.

RECEIPTS.

Balance on hand September 30, 1878	$4,236 68
State School Tax for 1879	7,801 02
State Free School Fund	1,403 77
State Donations	400 00
County School Tax at 10 cents on the $100	3,675 92
Sales of Books	857 32
State Appropriation to Colored Schools	4,591 20
Sites sold to Colored Department	200 00
Oyster License Fees—White	381 90
Colored	213 75
	$23,761 56

DISBURSEMENTS.

Teachers' Salaries	$12,262 00
Fuel	193 59
Incidental Expenses of Schools	104 66
Rent	106 50
Books and Stationery	768 94
Building School Houses	1,125 00
Repairing "	136 99
Furniture, Black-boards and Stoves	224 17
Salary of Secretary, Treasurer and Examiner	800 00
Per Diem of School Commissioners	224 21
Office Expenses, Postage, &c	26 50
Rent of Public Hall for Exhibition	10 00
Attorney's and other fees	52 00
Judgment in favor of Jno. F. Cecil and wife	199 19
Insurance	33 08
State Teachers Association	10 00
Paid to Colored Schools:	
Salaries	3,616 38
Fuel	67 83
Incidentals	38 90
Repairs	70 24
Rent	25 00
Building and Sites	300 00
Furniture	7 75
Balance Cash on hand	3,358 63
	$23,761 56

SOMERSET COUNTY.

BERRY T. B. JONES, *President.* W. E. JONES, *Secretary.*

Prof. M. A. Newell, Secretary of State Board of Education.

DEAR SIR: I have the pleasure herewith to respectfully submit the annual report of the Public Schools of Somerset County for the year ending September 30, 1879. Outside of what is contained in the statistics there is but little to communicate. I regret very much that a glance at our receipts and disbursements will disclose an absence of "Balance on Hand." We have striven to keep our disbursements within our receipts, but owing to the fluctuating nature of our receipts, particularly the oyster revenue, we have been unable to do so, but our indebtedness is too small to affect the success of our schools.

Our schools to-day have more pupils and a larger average attendance than they have ever had, which is attribntable, in a great measure, to a higher appreciation of the system. In some few districts, not noted for their culture, the attendance is lamentably small, and any remedy for the evil, outside of a compulsory law, is difficult to find.

The pupils are very well supplied with books from the office and the many stores in different sections of the County. Children whose parents are not able to buy them are furnished free on application of the District Trustees.

The apparent discrepancy existing between the "County School Tax" and "Amount of Levy" is explained from the fact that the excess of the Levy was a part of a balance due last year, but not paid until this.

My report has been ready since the 4th instant, but owing to an attack of rheumatism, and a failure to get a meeting of the School Board, I have been unable to send it until now.

Hoping it may be found acceptable,

I am, very truly yours,

W. E. JONES.

SOMERSET COUNTY—SUMMARY OF SCHOOL STATISTICS

For the year ending June 30, 1879.

	1879.	1878.
Number of School Houses—Frame, 66	66	64
Number of Male Teachers (Principals)	33	33
" Female " "	36	36
" Male " (Assistants)	5	5
" Female " "	7	9
Total	81	83
Number of Fenced Lots	17	15
" Schools having Out-buildings	20	17
" " having sufficient Black-boards	60	60
" " having good Furniture	60	60
" Terms Schools were Open	3 3-5	3 3-5
" different Pupils for the year—Males... 2,025 Females..1,944 Total	3,969	3,935
" Pupils in average attendance	1,975	1,775
" Official School Visits paid by Examiner	81	70

Number of Pupils.

	Fall Term.	Winter Term.	Spring Term.	Summer Term
On Roll	2,996	3,108	3,295	2,655
Av. attendance	1,757	1,693	2,029	1,630

	1879.	1878.
Number of Pupils in 1st Grade December 1	766	842
" " 2d " " 1	645	583
" " 3d " " 1	640	617
" " 4th " " 1	468	517
" " 5th " " 1	379	360
" " 6th " " 1	197	225
" " Above 6th " 1	88	80

" " Book-Keeping 20; Algebra 74; Philosophy 77; Geometry 39; Physiology 84; Latin 51.

SOMERSET COUNTY—SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Attendance for the year ending June* 30, 1879.

No. of School.	District.	Name of Teacher.	Fall Term.		Winter Term.		Spring Term.		Summer Term.		No. of different pupils for the Year.
			On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	
1	1	R. L. Leitch	21	17	19	17	18	17	18	15	21
1	1	C. W. Wainwright	23	19	30	19	25	20	21	16	30
1	1	O. C. Wainwright	50	35	56	35	52	43	48	40	66
2	1	O. P. Jones	26	10	27	12	29	15	13	8	37
3	1	Miss Etta Townsend	32	13	40	16	40	21	18	5	50
4	1	Mrs. Susan Pollitt	36	22	36	25	37	25	30	18	42
5	1	Miss Belle Yerby	20	16	22	17	22	19	22	17	22
6	1	Miss M. R. Patterson	48	23	43	20	41	14	24	12	61
7	1	Miss Belle Layfield	13	7	20	7	11	10	12	6	23
8	1	Miss Annie L. Furniss	36	19	38	15	36	17	36	14	45
1	2	Mrs. L. P. Ford	18	12	20	14	20	13	18	11	22
2	2	Miss Ella Ford	59	36	67	34	66	47	51	49	75
3	2	J. Emory Newman	42	22	43	20	44	24	48	13	57
4	2	Miss Nora Haymen	23	17	23	11	23	16	14	10	26
1	3	Miss Jennie W. Bell	19	10	18	5	11	10	....	...	21
2	3	Ebenezer Hearn	25	14	31	17	25	18	25	14	31
3	3	Miss A. K. Tull	35	15	37	13	36	19	29	18	53
4	3	Miss Ella M. Adams	28	14	37	17	40	23	31	18	43
5	3	Miss Lizzie B. Adams	34	13	41	19	46	27	35	17	52
6	3	Miss S. L. Conner	32	14	28	11	38	21	31	17	47
7	3	Miss Mollie Horsey	25	15	35	11	41	23	31	17	41
8	3	Miss Annie L. Hall	25	17	31	18	32	21	26	16	35
9	3	Miss Fannie Broughton	36	19	48	30	47	33	35	23	56
10	3	Miss E. C. Ellis	34	20	29	17	30	20	27	20	35

11	3	Benjamin F. Haynes	45	29	44	30	42	30	30	23	50
11	3	J. C. Miles	36	24	44	25	43	30	34	25	48
1	4	Miss M. C. Corbin	25	15	33	18	35	19	25	13	36
2	4	Miss Sarah Connor	34	18	40	15	44	22	38	23	44
3	4	Miss Sallie Broughton	23	14	30	17	30	15	11	8	38
4	4	Miss Ida Marshall	27	19	28	15	29	19	21	13	29
5	4	Miss Grace Broughton	31	14	39	25	47	29	34	25	47
1	5	Miss Marianna Davy	44	19	....	...	....	....	....	....	....
1	5	Miss Annie M. Waller	....	...	51	21	51	26	36	25	64
2	5	William H. Groscup	28	19	34	22	37	30	27	18	39
2	5	Mrs. Mary Street	46	29	36	23	41	27	42	25	52
1	6	J. H. Beauchamp	31	19	30	14	28	19	28	20	36
2	6	Robert F. Maddox	26	21	26	17	23	16	19	13	26
2	6	Mrs A. W. Merrill	35	28	35	22	33	23	33	20	36
2	6	Miss Susie E. Miles	44	29	38	23	41	27	36	22	46
2	6	Miss Mary L. Ford	60	37	53	26	60	37	55	34	75
3	6	Miss M. E. Brittingham	15	13	15	14	14	13	15	12	16
4	6	Miss Sallie J. Davy	47	30	45	22	47	30	43	23	51
1	7	William H. Dashiell	44	24	38	21	48	33	47	29	48
1	7	S. T. Ford	60	44	56	41	56	47	55	45	63
1	7	Miss Georgie Shipley	73	46	63	35	75	51	80	50	99
1	7	Miss Katie S. Scott	82	46	67	34	90	53	80	43	111
1	8	C. F. Rudolph	26	13	....	....	....	...	...	....	....
1	8	Howard S. Hodson	....	....	31	16	65	36	50	18	65
1	8	Miss Rosa Marshall	48	27	...	....	...	....	....	...	48
2	8	Miss Mollie Whittington	38	20	28	8	46	21	36	18	51
3	8	Miss Mollie Hurst	55	29	57	31	62	35	48	27	71
1	9	Harry P. Ford	35	23	33	24	34	22	22	16	36
1	9	Miss S. A Brohawn	70	49	60	34	60	35	60	38	90
2	9	William A. Collins	22	14	29	23	29	21	20	15	29
2	9	George C. Jones	44	25	42	23	40	26	34	24	44
3	9	Miss N. C. Jones	31	19	28	20	28	20	21	16	35
4	9	Miss Margie E. White	53	33	58	31	61	26	42	21	62
4	9	C. F. Rudolph	....	....	....	....	17	11	12	8	17
1	10	John Tyler	45	20	47	21	54	21	48	20	54
2	10	Washington Evans	22	16	23	16	25	20	24	17	25
3	10	H. A. W. Kellum	19	10	20	12	20	13	20	14	20
			2104	1254	2120	1159	2275	1419	1869	1155	2692

SOMERSET COUNTY—SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Expenses for year ending September* 30, 1879.

No. of School.	District.	Rent.	Fuel	Repairs.	Other Incidental Expenses.	Furniture, Black Boards, Stoves.	Teachers' Salaries for the year.	Receipts from Books.
1	1	$....	$....	$....	$....	$.....	$900 00	$.....
1	1	....	....	....	....	.....	500 00	.....
1	1	....	....	....	....	.....	259 00	1 00
2	1	....	....	....	....	.....	244 38	3 28
3	1	....	....	1 50	....	.....	251 22	.....
4	1	....	....	....	....	.....	256 83	3 17
5	1	....	....	....	....	.....	235 07	12 45
6	1	....	....	....	....	.....	256 80	3 20
7	1	....	....	....	....	.....	251 68	2 12
8	1	....	....	....	....	.....	259 00	1 00
1	2	....	....	....	....	60	256 30	2 70
2	2	....	....	....	....	1 50	255 44	90
3	2	....	....	....	1 65	8 00	244 54	9 86
4	2	....	....	...	...	.....	247 60	12 40
1	3	....	....	....	....	.....	176 00	2 85
2	3	....	....	....	....	.....	383 04	16 96
3	3	....	....	....	....	.....	255 60	1 40
4	3	....	....	....	....	.....	260 00	.....
5	3	....	....	....	1 00	.....	258 40	1 60
6	3	....	....	1 40	....	.....	256 40	.....
7	3	....	....	8 83	....	.....	259 00	1 00
8	3	.	....	....	....	. ....	254 24	.....
9	3	....	....	....	....	.....	251 36	11 37
10	3	....	...	....	....	.....	250 09	4 15
11	3	....	....	....	....	.....	699 00	1 00
11	3	....	...	....	....	.....	387 80	.....
1	4	....	....	....	....	.....	256 00	1 00
2	4	....	...	....	....	.....	259 00	1 00
3	4	....	....	....	....	.....	249 95	1 80
4	4	....	....	....	....	.....	253 24	1 00
5	4	....	....	. ..	....	.....	249 30	10 70
1	5	....	....	....	....	.....	70 00	.....
1	5	....	....	....	....	.....	186 30	70
2	5	....	....	....	....	.....	333 84	27 88
2	5	....	....	....	....	.....	260 00	.....
1	6	....	5 60	....	....	.....	259 00	1 00
2	6	....	67 18	....	8 40	33 49	698 25	1 75
2	6	....	....	....	...	.....	260 00	.....
2	6	....	....	...	....	.....	259 00	1 00
2	6	....	....	....	...	.....	260 00	.....
3	6	25 00	....	....	....	.....	260 00	.....
4	6	....	....	2 75	....	10 80	261 00	1 00
1	7	....	61 25	...	....	.....	695 82	1 00
1	7	....	....	....	....	.....	399 00	1 00
1	7	....	....	....	....	.....	260 00	.....
1	7	....	....	....	....	.....	260 00	.....
1	8	....	....	...	...	.....	73 00	.....
1	8	....	15 00	....	....	.....	380 00	.....
1	8	....	....	....	....	.....	73 00	.....

SOMERSET COUNTY—SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Expenses for year ending September* 30, 1879—Continued.

No. of School.	District.	Rent.	Fuel.	Repairs.	Other Incidental Expenses.	Furniture, Black-Boards, Stoves.	Teachers' Salaries for the year.	Receipts from Books.
2	8	$....	$....	$....	$....	$.....	$259 52	$2 60
3	8	....	....	161 50	....	.....	260 00	.....
1	9	....	....	10 85	....	.....	400 00	.....
1	9	....	....	....	....	.....	260 00	.....
2	9	....	....	....	....	.....	396 75	3 25
2	9	....	....	....	....	.....	247 40	11 63
3	9	....	....	....	....	.....	252 61	7 39
4	9	....	....	40 00	....	.....	252 98	7 02
4	9	....	....	....	....	.....	182 88	7 50
1	10	....	....	....	....	.....	256 74	.....
2	10	...	....	....	....	.....	255 15	.....
3	10	....	....	....	...	.....	260 00	.....
		$25 00	$149 03	$226 83	$11 05	$54 39	$17,908 52	$182 63

SOMERSET COUNTY—COLORED SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Attendance for year ending June* 30, 1879.

No of School.	District.	Name of Teacher.	Fall Term.		Winter Term.		Spring Term.		Summer Term.		No. of different pupils for the year.
			On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	
1	1	Marie Major	28	23	72	54	40	35	25	22	76
1	1	Bessie Cottman	47	25	58	32	57	42	37	30	88
2	1	L. W. Ballard	47	23	69	30	61	32	37	18	80
3	1	Robert King	19	12	24	11	29	14	15	13	38
1	2	James H. Williams	56	33	57	33	59	34	50	15	60
1	3	Elisha Outen	33	15	34	18	35	22	34	18	45
2	3	Stephen Waters	40	15	44	16	43	23	36	16	45
3	3	Lizzie Rich	45	18	36	17	43	24	36	19	54
4	3	Thomas H. Lee	46	17	57	17	65	25	....	...	66
1	4	Edward H. Webb	23	14	37	19	42	21	34	18	43
2	4	Daniel Cottman	27	10	60	21	63	22	23	10	69
1	5	J. H. Nutter	44	20	51	18	60	30	42	20	71
1	6	H. A. Monroe	94	63	80	53	81	57	71	54	109
2	6	A. G. Mason	47	24	45	38	54	42	49	37	65
3	6	Charles O. Waters	45	27	25	14	31	19	52	32	56
1	7	J. L. Zuhlcke	51	41	30	22	44	31	45	35	59
2	7	J. H. Parker	32	21	33	18	27	16	20	17	49
1	8	Waverly Hawkins	58	37	49	28	60	40	54	34	69
1	9	W. S. Brown	32	12	41	16	41	16	45	11	44
2	9	Mattie E. Russ	44	28	39	22	40	28	39	27	44
3	9	Charles W. Hubbard	34	25	47	37	45	37	42	29	47
			892	503	988	534	1020	610	786	475	1277

SOMERSET COUNTY—COLORED SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Expenses for the year ending September* 30, 1879.

No. of School.	District.	Rent.	Fuel.	Repairs.	Furniture, Black Boards, Stoves.	Cost of Books.	Teachers' Salaries for the Year.	Receipts from Books.
1	1	$....	$ ...	$....	$....	$.....	$226 34	$ 2 36
1	1	....	....	....	....	.....	184 21	3 50
2	1	....	...	8 00	....	.....	234 00	1 00
3	1	...	....	....	....	.....	200 44	4 43
1	2	....	....	....	....	.....	219 10	15 50
1	3	...	....	....	....	.....	218 34	9 00
2	3	....	..	....	....	.....	231 90	2 10
3	3	....	....	....	....	.....	234 60	.....
4	3	....	....	29 00	....	....	194 19	81
1	4	10 00	....	....	1 00	.....	234 72	.....
2	4	....	....	....	....	.....	215 92	6 50
1	5	...	....	....	....	.....	216 70	10 60
1	6	....	....	...	8 50	.....	202 17	29 49
2	6	....	...	....	....	.....	219 21	14 79
3	6	....	3 59	....	2 75	.....	197 43	13 42
1	7	10 00	....	....	....	.....	234 60	.....
2	7	...	...	10 00	....	.....	228 69	.....
1	8	....	....	....	....	.....	234 72	.....
1	9	....	....	....	...	.....	184 89	.....
2	9	....	....	....	....	.....	231 72	1 00
3	9	...	....	...	....	.....	202 38	6 72
		$20 00	$3 59	$47 00	$12 25	$.....	$4,546 27	$121 22

COLORED SCHOOLS.—*Receipts and Disbursements for the year ending September* 30, 1879.

RECEIPTS.

Unexpended balance of previous appropriation	$4,212 91
Amount Received from State Treasurer	4,457 44
	$8,670 35

DISBURSEMENTS.

Paid for Teachers' Salaries	$4,546 27	
Rent	20 00	
Fuel	3 59	
Books and Stationery and Supervising School, &c.	400 00	
Furniture and Repairs	59 25	
Building School Houses	350 00	
Balance cash on hand	3,291 24	
		$8,670 35

SOMERSET COUNTY.—*Statement of Receipts and Disbursements for Public School Purposes, for the Year ending September* 30, 1879.

RECEIPTS.

Balance on hand September 30, 1878, from Colored Schools		$4,212 91
State School Tax		9,949 93
State Free School Fund		1,595 04
State Donations		400 00
County School Tax at 13 cents on the $100		5,581 35
Amount of Levy	$4,787 64	
Fines and Forfeitures		64 60
Sales of Books		61 11
State Appropriation to Colored Schools		4,457 44
Trustees Washington Academy		500 00
Trustees Fairmount Academy		400 00
Amount charged Colored Schools		400 00
Dredging License		1,434 50
Amount due Treasurer		5,371 40
		$34,428 28

DISBURSEMENTS.

Balance due to Treasurer, September 30, 1878	$ 5,127 68
Teachers' Salaries	17,908 52
Fuel	149 03
Incidental Expenses of Schools	11 05
Rent	25 00
Books and Stationery	722 98
Repairing School Houses	226 83
Furniture, Black-boards and Stoves	54 39
High Schools or Academies	176 00
Salary of Secretary, Treasurer and Examiner	800 00
Per Diem of School Commissioners	270 00
Office Expenses, Postage, &c	49 50
Printing and Advertising	66 75
Paid to Colored Schools (Salaries)	4,546 27
School Journal	50 00
Worcester County Schools	96 00
Miss Mary Robertson	4 90
Commission on Fines	1 20
Traveling Expenses	10 00
Surveying and Deed	8 10
Paid to Colored Schools:	
Rent	20 00
Fuel	3 59
Supervision, Books, &c	400 00
Furniture, &c	59 25
Building and Sites	350 00
Balance Cash on hand (Colored Schools)	3,291 24
	$34,428 28

TALBOT COUNTY.

WM. M. HOLLYDAY, *President.* ALEX. CHAPLAIN, *Secretary, &c.*

Prof. M. A. Newell,

DEAR SIR: In compliance with the requirements of law, I have the honor to submit, herewith, the annual report of the Board of County School Commissioners of Talbot County for the scholastic year ending July 15, 1879, and the fiscal year ending September 30, 1879.

In some districts of the County, whooping cough interfered quite seriously with the enrollment and attendance of pupils in the schools; yet, we are glad to report that both the enrollment and attendance were about the same as for the preceding year.

During the year, two new school houses for white children were built, and a third was enlarged and improved in such a manner as to make it as comfortable and convenient as a new house. All of these houses were furnished with patent desks. Only one new school house was built for colored children; but it is a neat and substantial building, and we shall use endeavors to provide houses for colored schools as rapidly as the money for that purpose will permit. Many of the school houses in the County are old, contracted as to size, and provided with furniture of poor style and quality. Providing new houses and furniture for our schools is a matter which constantly engages the attention of the School Board; but, in consequence of the great outlay which building and furnishing houses involves, it moves along slowly. It is gratifying, however, to know that something is accomplished in this direction every year.

Many of our colored teachers are still poorly prepared, so far as scholarship is concerned, for their work. The best material that has offered, however, has been employed, and these teachers have done very fair service.

The financial condition of the Board is quite satisfactory. At the close of the fiscal year the Board had no indebtedness, and there was still due to us, from the County levy of 1878, two thousand seven hundred and fifty dollars.

Very respectfully, your obedient servant,

ALEXANDER CHAPLAIN,

Secretary, &c.

TALBOT COUNTY—SUMMARY OF SCHOOL STATISTICS

For year ending July 15, 1879.

	1879.	1878.
Number of School Houses—Frame 53; Brick 2	55	50
Number of Male Teachers (Principals)	25	26
" Female " "	30	29
" Male " (Assistants)	1	3
" Female " "	13	13
Total	69	71
Number of Fenced Lots	14	14
" Schools having Out Buildings	38	31
" " having sufficient Black-Boards	45	39
" " having good Furniture	41	43
" Terms Schools were Open	4	4
" Different Pupils for the year—Males 1,795; Females 1,502; Total—White 2,205; Colored 1,092	3,297	3,313
" Pupils in average attendance—White 1,003; Colored 439; Total	1,442	1,462
" Pupils over Sixteen Years of age, (reports not full) partly " estimated	190	....
" Official School Visits paid by Examiner	135	123

NUMBER OF PUPILS.

	Fall Term.	Winter Term.	Spring Term.	Summer Term
On Roll	2,064	2,481	2,685	2,196
Av. Attendance	1,297	1,403	1,688	1,380

	1879	1878
Number of Pupils in 1st Grade December 1	575	554
" " 2d " "	374	361
" " 3d " "	372	377
" " 4th " "	300	271
" " 5th " "	175	198
" " 6th " "	120	140
" " Above 6th "	148	157

" " Book-Keeping 81; Algebra 122; Philosophy 85; Drawing 175; Geometry 52; Physiology 92; Latin 165; Greek 9; French 72.

SCHOOL HOUSES BUILT OR ENLARGED DURING THE YEAR.

No. of School.	District.	Brick or Frame.	Cost.	Length.	Width.	Height.	Square Feet of Blackboard.	Out-Buildings, Yes or No.	Fences, Yes or No.	Cost of Furniture
11	3	Frame.	$509 84	30	20	10	80	Yes.	Yes.	$ 84 80
3	5	Frame.	530 00	31	21	10	80	Yes.	No.	81 10
3	4	†Frame.	190 92	12	18	9	70	Yes.	No.	122 62
			$1,230 76							
*1	5	Frame.	359 10	28	20	9	65	Yes	No.	‡16 63

* Colored School. † Enlarged. ‡ Exclusive of desks transferred from White School.

TALBOT COUNTY—SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Attendance for the year ending June 30, 1879.*

No. of School.	District.	Name of Teacher.	Fall Term.		Winter Term.		Spring Term.		Summer Term.		No. of different pupils for the Year.
			On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	
*1	1	C. W. Baker and 2 Assistants	53	40	49	34	45	34	40	29	58
*2	2	A. S. Marye and 2 Assistants	92	70	93	70	94	78	93	68	103
*3	3	J. C. Mullikin and Assistant	39	32	38	29	36	32	33	27	43
†1	3	A. C. Mullikin and Assistant	45	37	44	34	44	39	43	31	47
1	1	R. T. Savage and 3 Assistants	164	115	172	108	184	132	170	106	220
2	1	Jno. S. Houlton	15	7	21	11	26	12	23	10	34
3	1	Philip H. Mayo	25	14	33	17	44	24	34	18	49
4	1	Mrs. P L Johnson	25	13	30	18	28	21	31	18	39
5	1	Miss Lizzie Duncan	23	13	22	8	21	14	20	7	31
6	1	Mrs Sallie F. Lecke	27	17	35	15	37	20	26	17	41
7	1	Miss Kate H. Harrison	12	10	18	12	17	13	14	8	21
8	1	Miss S. A. Bartlett	14	9	20	9	17	13	16	7	20
1	2	Miss S. A. Wollaston and Assistant	134	99	137	85	144	102	135	90	152
2	2	Miss C. E. Hammond	24	11	25	13	30	17	27	10	34
3	2	M. F. McMahon	23	18	23	14	24	19	23	13	30
4	2	Miss Mollie L. Leonard	21	13	20	15	21	15	21	12	31
5	2	Miss M. M McDaniel	25	18	23	15	22	20	23	17	27
6	2	Robert Haddaway	36	13	35	15	42	21	39	22	56
7	2	Jas. D. Haddaway	18	10	18	13	22	13	19	12	32
1	3	Mrs. E. S. Maddux	45	36	50	35	55	45	56	43	58
2	3	Miss H. L. Mellie and Assistant	73	49	87	52	90	63	90	55	97
3	3	Miss Sallie E Nichols	19	11	24	11	19	13	15	9	25
4	3	Wm. M. Hardcastle	21	13	27	13	25	15	16	7	30
5	3	Miss A. D. Haddaway	15	10	16	7	20	15	18	13	22

* High Schools. † Grammar School.

TALBOT COUNTY—SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Attendance for the year ending June* 30, 1879—Continued.

No. of School.	District.	Name of Teacher.	Fall Term.		Winter Term.		Spring Term.		Summer Term.		No. of different pupils for the year
			On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	
6	3	Miss L. A. Leonard	11	8	10	6	16	8	16	9	25
7	3	Miss Alice Kemp	9	5	11	6	10	7	5	3	12
8	3	Jno. B. McMahan	28	14	26	10	29	21	28	14	38
9	3	Miss Mary C. Martin	42	24	49	25	59	36	53	31	70
10	3	Miss Lulu M. Weedon	39	20	44	27	61	34	41	30	69
11	3	Wilfred Bateman	23	7	26	7	14	7	14	9	31
1	4	R. Harry Evans	50	26	65	36	59	33	47	24	90
2	4	Miss Belle C. Jump	29	14	52	21	54	29	33	17	68
3	4	P. A. Morgan	28	15	51	19	50	26	34	15	62
4	4	Miss M. A. Jump	22	10	34	18	39	18	25	11	43
5	4	Miss J. B Hopkins	19	5	24	13	29	10	13	5	35
6	4	Jas. M. Arringdale	15	8	21	10	14	11	12	7	28
7, 8	4	Miss H. L Anthony	34	12	50	25	57	27	43	18	74
9	4	Miss Sue B. Rose	21	7	35	15	39	20	28	13	47
1	5	Alex. Boothe	24	10	25	11	29	15	25	11	39
2	5	Wm. T. Wrightson	38	22	41	24	48	34	42	25	62
3	5	Miss Rosa V. Caulk	11	4	....	....	...	....	10	5	14
4	5	Jno. W. Gibson and Assistant	66	43	67	40	76	49	67	48	98
			1497	932	1691	966	1790	1169	1561	944	2205

TALBOT COUNTY—SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Expenses for year ending September* 30, 1879.

No. of School.	District.	Value of School Property.	Fuel.	Repairs.	Other Incidental Expenses.	Furniture, Black Boards, Stoves.	Cost of Books.	Teachers' Salaries for the Year.
*1	1	‡ 300 00	$ 48 00	$41 80	$11 22	$	$ 88 90	$ 1,115 00
*2	2	2,500 00	50 02	...	11 86	30 40	46 86	1,550 00
*3	3	600 00	22 86	...	1 75	2 00	29 75	950 00
†1	3	2,500 00	39 10	....	15 94	23 15	83 85	798 00
1	1	2,500 00	68 88	20 85	9 64	29 04	182 25	1,600 00
2	1	100 00	10 00	....	....	.....	10 25	348 50
3	1	800 00	27 00	....	4 85	3 00	18 20	375 00
4	1	750 00	28 20	....	8 22	130 43	23 10	375 00
5	1	250 00	6 00	28 30	6 36	.....	28 15	372 00
6	1	200 00	15 27	....	....	.....	22 05	375 00
7	1	600 00	5 00	....	70	.....	11 65	300 00
8	1	200 00	10 50	12 08	1 60	9 73	14 45	299 00
1	2	500 00	26 95	103 73	75	.....	50 90	750 00
2	2	200 00	12 00	18 18	....	.....	6 55	375 00
3	2	350 00	15 62	....	1 82	16 80	19 65	400 00
4	2	200 00	19 25	...	4 31	.....	13 35	371 25
5	2	750 00	9 20	....	1 50	.....	20 75	375 00
6	2	600 00	32 12	6 50	1 04	.....	26 00	350 00
7	2	100 00	11 95	....	80	.....	25 05	349 00
1	3	600 00	22 86	....	2 78	.....	3 85	400 00
2	3	450 00	22 05	18 40	3 79	40 17	52 85	700 00
3	3	600 00	13 00	...	1 56	18 60	18 50	299 00
4	3	150 00	32 55	3 60	....	.....	10 15	375 00
5	3	150 00	21 63	....	2 31	4 65	9 05	298 00
6	3	100 00	13 32	....	5 70	.....	11 20	300 00
7	3	100 00	16 05	....	2 48	.....	4 75	300 00
8	3	150 00	2 50	....	2 77	.....	15 75	375 00
9	3	150 00	26 90	....	31	4 50	33 55	356 25
10	3	350 00	10 23	9 25	8 20	.....	17 35	348 50
11	3	650 00	10 00	19 11	25	84 80	7 70	350 00
1	4	100 00	9 87	7 05	1 50	.....	39 65	349 00
2	4	450 00	12 00	44 05	6 30	8 38	12 20	371 25
3	4	450 00	21 00	...	1 90	129 38	23 35	375 00
4	4	600 00	25 00	....	2 06	.....	19 50	362 25
5	4	600 00	....	5 80	4 32	.....	15 25	297 50
6	4	250 00	17 50	...	....	.....	6 95	489 00
7, 8	4	600 00	15 25	....	1 85	.....	16 80	371 50
9	4	200 00	20 00	....	....	.....	12 55	347 00
1	5	100 00	12 75	....	1 45	.....	10 70	375 00
2	5	150 00	....	...	1 75	.....	40 90	348 50
3	5	650 00	8 25	....	1 29	81 10	3 55	152 50
4	5	150 00	1 50	....	25	16 80	39 10	680 00
		$21,750 00	$792 13	$338 70	$135 18	$632 93	$1,146 91	$20,048 00

* High Schools. † Grammar School. ‡ Leased—Furniture Value.

TALBOT COUNTY—COLORED SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Attendance for year ending June 30, 1879.*

No. of School.	District.	Name of Teacher.	Fall Term.		Winter Term.		Spring Term.		Summer Term.		No. of different pupils for the year.
			On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll	Average daily attendance.	
1	1	Jas. E G. Webb and Assistant	145	92	166	87	173	107	146	90	235
2	1	Wm W. Webb and Assistant	109	76	122	81	133	87	110	66	147
1	2	Helen G Greene	40	31	81	55	84	70	40	35	91
2	2	John R. Webb	42	31	65	37	73	41	60	32	88
3	2	Mollie M. Ennals	26	17	39	24	40	28	40	35	48
4	2	Charlotte J. Hewitt	13	6	19	9	22	9	....	....	22
1	3	Silas E. Adams	70	37	83	33	91	41	67	32	122
2	3	Nathan Mills	32	17	40	20	50	22	38	31	50
3	3	Wm. Henry Rakes	17	16	58	23	51	20	20	14	65
1	4	Sophia J. Holland	23	12	32	20	31	15	11	11	35
2	4	Susan B Turner	22	13	40	22	34	18	17	17	43
3	4	Tabitha A. Thomas	28	17	45	26	56	30	36	36	74
1	5	Adeline L. Ennalls	....	....	....	....	57	31	50	37	72
			567	365	790	437	895	519	635	436	1092

TALBOT COUNTY—COLORED SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Expenses for Year ending September* 30, 1879.

No. of School.	District.	Value of School Property.	Fuel.	Repairs.	Other Incidental Expenses.	Furniture, Black Boards, Stoves.	Cost of Books.	Teachers' Salaries for the year.
1	1	*	$41 75	$....	$5 50	$.....	$30 25	$570 00
2	1	*	4 46	2 50	8 00	.....	18 70	470 00
1	2	*	8 87	12 50	2 72	.....	19 60	300 00
2	2	*	11 25	....	5 20	.....	10 10	293 00
3	2	*	8 20	....	1 00	.....	9 90	175 50
4	2	$100 00	10 00	....	...	.....	5 20	122 00
1	3	*	20 88	....	3 28	14 10	23 75	237 50
2	3	*	17 25	....	...	.....	13 25	147 00
3	3	350 00	10 31	....	1 75	22 14	7 95	147 50
1	4	300 00	10 00	....	....	.....	6 85	165 75
2	4	*	17 00	....	...	.....	5 90	160 75
3	4	250 00	10 00	....	....	.....	5 45	158 50
1	5	350 00	1 12	....	2 88	16 63	10 45	106 30
		$1,350 00	$171 09	$15 00	$30 33	$52 87	$167 35	$3,053 80

* Leased.

COLORED SCHOOLS.—*Receipts and Disbursements for the year ending September* 30, 1879.

RECEIPTS.

Amount received from State Treasurer		$3,733 92
" " County School Board		219 21
" " Colored Tongers and Scrapers		251 66
" " Books sold by Colored Teachers		123 23
		$4,328 02

DISBURSEMENTS.

Balance due Current Fund September 30, 1878	$ 94 72	
Paid for Teachers' Salaries	3,053 80	
Incidental Expenses	30 33	
Rent	19 50	
Fuel	171 09	
Books and Stationery	167 35	
Share of Cost of Supervision	260 00	
Stoves, Furniture and Blackboards	52 87	
Repairing School Houses	15 00	
Building " House	359 10	
Balance Cash on hand	104 26	
		$4,328 02

TALBOT COUNTY.—*Statement of Receipts and Disbursements for Public School Purposes, for the Year ending September* 30, 1879.

RECEIPTS.

Balance on hand September 30, 1878		$1,101 37
State School Tax		7,781 57
State Free School Fund		1 868 05
State Donations		1,200 00
County School Tax at 16 cents on the $100		11,250 00
Amount of Levy	$14,000 00.	
Sale of Books by Teachers, White Schools		559 88
" " Colored "		123 23
" from Office		12 70
State Appropriation to Colored Schools		3,733 92
Tongers' Licenses, White		561 45
" Colored		201 40
Scrapers' Licenses, White		387 77
" Colored		50 26
In part judgment vs Wright, Collector		1,000 00
From Sale of some Old Posts		9 25
From Sale of Old House, Bailey's Neck		15 00
		$29,835 85

DISBURSEMENTS.

Teachers' Salaries		20,048 00	
Fuel		792 13	
Incidental Expenses of Schools		135 18	
Rent		25 00	
Books and Stationery, White Schools		733 06	
Building School Houses		1,230 76	
Repairing "		338 70	
Furniture, Black Boards and Stoves		632 93	
High Schools—Teachers' Salaries above	$3,615 00		
Interest		47 00	
Salary of Secretary, Treasurer and Examiner, amount charged White Schools		800 00	
Per Diem of School Commissioners, amount charged White Schools		240 00	
Office Expenses and Account Books		32 23	
Printing and Advertising		53 50	
Paid to Colored Schools:			
Teachers' Salaries	$3,053 80		
Rent, Fuel, &c	288 79		
Books and Stationery	167 35		
Building	359 10		
Salary Secretary and Examiner	200 00		
School Commissioners	60 00	4,129 04	
Fuel for Office		6 63	
Freight and Drayage, Books, &c		10 10	
Paid R. J. Trippe for B. B. Paint		5 40	
Paid for Lot in Trappe, Fence and Deed		139 80	
Balance Cash on Hand		436 39	
			$29,835 85

WASHINGTON COUNTY.

WILLIAM RAGAN, *President.* P. A. WITMER, *Secretary.*

Prof. M. A. Newell, Secretary State Board of Education.

We submit herewith the annual report of the Public Schools of Washington County. The expenditures were somewhat in excess of the previous year, principally on account of teachers' salaries. The receipts were less from the State Tax by $2,520, which resulted in an increase of the indebtedness of the Board of over $3,000.

The enrollment and average attendance have been larger, and a few additional teachers were employed. Eight new houses are reported, and we are gratified to be able to state that Washington County is now well supplied with comfortable, substantial school houses, well furnished and equipped.

The large expenditures for school houses, which have always heretofore swelled the aggregate of our expenses, will not be required in the future, and we anticipate a considerable reduction on this account.

We report the Schools generally in good condition, and although the Board has reduced salaries to the extent of 10 per cent., we have been able to retain all our best teachers.

Respectfully submitted,
WILLIAM RAGAN,
President.

WASHINGTON COUNTY—SUMMARY OF SCHOOL STATISTICS

For Year Ending September 30, 1879.

	1878	1879
Number of School Houses—Frame 31; Brick 63; Log 23; Stone 10	127	127
" " Male Teachers, (Principals)	136	114
" " Female " "	29	11
" " Male " (Assistants)	2	18
" " Female " "	7	34
Total	174	177
Number of Fenced Lots	23	23
" " Schools having Out-buildings	127	125
" " " " sufficient Black-boards	125	125
" " " " good Furniture	123	125
" " Terms Schools were open	3	3
" " different Pupils for the year	8565	8743
" " Pupils in average attendance	5019	5161
" " Official School Visits paid by Examiner	170	179

Number of Pupils.

	Fall Term.		Winter Term.		Spring Term.		Summer Term.	
	1878.	1879.	1878.	1879.	1878.	1879.	1878.	1879.
On Roll	6,767	6,903	7,803	7,882	7,305	7,423	....	....
Av. attendance	4,727	4,777	5,268	5,537	5,062	5,169	....	....

	1878.	1879.
Number Pupils in 1st Grade Dec. 1	1394	1654
" " 2d " " 1	1208	1238
" " 3d " " 1	1222	1159
" " 4th " " 1	1206	1256
" " 5th " " 1	1342	1139
" " 6th " " 1	930	914
" " above 6th " " 1	519	519

" " in Book keeping, 188; Algebra, 474; Philosophy, 231; Drawing, 30; Geometry, 266; Physiology, 167; Latin, 112; Literature, 64; Chemistry, 18; Greek, 19; German, 10.

School Houses Built or Enlarged During the Year.

No. of Schools.	District.	Brick or Frame.	Cost.	Length.	Width.	Height.	Square feet of Black-Board.	Out-Buildings, Yes or No.	Fences, Yes or No	Cost of Furniture
2	2	Brick.	$613 48	35	26	12	78	Yes	No.	$150 06
9	4	Frame	531 50	30	26	12	78	"	"	65 17
5	5	Frame	402 75	30	26	12	78	"	"	52 97
2	6	Brick.	500 00	30	26	12	78	"	"	24 25
2	10	Frame	420 10	30	19	12	57	"	"	25 10
1	14	Brick.	847 96	50	26	12	156	"	"	209 98
2	14	Brick.	593 35	32	26	12	78	"	"	98 21
2	18	Brick	1030 46	50	26	12	156	"	"	202 22

WASHINGTON COUNTY—SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Attendance for the year ending June 30, 1879.*

No. of School.	District.	Name of Teacher.	Fall Term.		Winter Term.		Spring Term.		Summer Term.		No. of different pupils for the year.
			On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	
1A	1	William D Piper	28	19	42	26	42	30	....	....	44
B	1	J. S. Baker	39	24	67	45	54	38	....	....	67
C	1	John P. Smith	58	40	72	43	54	40	....	....	73
D	1	Gower Alder and Benton	137	84	151	99	149	109	....	....	169
2	1	D. O. Snyder	68	35	86	50	89	41	....	....	102
3	1	William H. King	37	20	48	28	48	28	....	....	54
1A	2	D. O. Witmer	38	30	58	36	56	44	....	....	59
B	2	J. T. Beard	41	27	67	33	51	38	....	....	67
C	2	Cora Shawen	62	41	91	50	68	50	....	....	95
D	2	Williamson and Hollman	121	96	146	102	134	96	....	....	146
2	2	Frank King	50	33	70	56	68	48	....	....	73
3	2	J. F. Thomas	41	28	47	38	46	39	....	....	49
4	2	A. M. Lench	39	26	45	32	44	33	....	....	46
		R S. Henry....High School	29	26	32	27	31	28	31	28	46
1A	3	Tammany and Hahn	56	46	56	44	54	42	....	...	60
B	3	M A. Ranels	35	28	31	24	28	22	....	....	36
C	3	Annie Garlinger	31	25	41	31	41	28	....	....	43
D	3	Annie Cook	50	42	48	39	48	37	....	....	58
E	3	Nettie Baker	34	26	32	27	31	26	...	....	35
F	3	Mary B. Stuart	50	38	50	36	46	41	....	....	63
G	3	Ella Taggart	52	41	53	40	53	42	....	....	60
2	3	D. F. Newcomer	53	34	58	44	54	41	....	....	69
3	3	M. H. Huyett	29	16	39	19	37	23	....	....	44
4	3	Thomas P. Parmer	40	21	48	35	46	27	....	....	53

WASHINGTON COUNTY—SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Attendance for the year ending June 30, 1879*—Continued.

No. of School.	District.	Name of Teacher.	Fall Term.		Winter Term.		Spring Term.		Summer Term.		No. of different pupils for the year.
			On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	
1A	4	N. A. Bachtel	25	21	27	23	25	21	....	....	27
B	4	J. Sprecher	38	26	40	28	39	30	....	....	41
C	4	Amanda Stull	46	35	48	39	46	36	....	....	49
D	4	A. E. Snyder	48	37	54	44	53	44	....	....	56
2	4	Jos. Charles	24	18	30	21	29	19	....	....	32
3	4	G. S. Fockler	43	29	56	37	54	40	....	....	58
4	4	V. Miller	54	37	60	36	66	44	....	....	69
5	4	G H. Witmer	42	22	37	26	37	23	...	....	49
6	4	D. D. Worthington	31	18	31	17	25	14	....	....	39
7	4	Walter Warner	34	17	37	19	39	20	....	....	43
8	4	Josiah Brewer	33	20	49	27	42	30	....	....	49
9	4	Sue D. Johnson	24	14	27	18	24	17	....	....	29
1A	5	G. C. Pearson	32	26	36	29	37	28	....	...	41
B	5	S. W. Richardson	24	18	34	23	36	26	...	....	37
C	5	Virginia Garrott	43	30	47	31	41	26	....	....	47
D	5	Annie R. Gatton	59	37	58	40	51	33	....	....	66
2	5	N. McKinley	37	17	54	33	54	29	....	....	54
3	5	J. W Stillwell	44	22	35	23	34	18	....	....	51
4	5	T. D. Richards	29	21	31	22	30	23	....	....	33
5	5	G. M Draper	31	19	33	20	28	15	....	....	35
6	5	E. W. Crowther	30	15	21	12	27	14	....	....	35
7	5	A. H. Acken	23	15	24	13	33	21	....	....	34
8	5	F. B. Louderbaugh	30	16	30	26	30	28	....	....	35
1A	6	John Murphy	29	24	27	25	29	22	....	....	34

B	6	J. H. Smith	44	37	50	41	47	36	....	....	50
C	6	Harry Davis	47	35	51	43	49	38	....	....	55
D	6	Samuel Rohrer	50	41	55	45	56	45	....	...	55
E	6	Amanda Barr	66	50	69	50	64	49	....	....	73
2	6	John M. Groh	47	33	49	34	45	31	....	...	55
3	6	A F. Lamar	37	21	49	33	46	30	....	....	53
4	6	A. W. Reeder	41	24	54	35	51	32	....	....	60
5	6	M. E. Cullen	22	15	30	21	28	18	....	....	32
6	6	S. B. Shoop	42	33	43	35	43	38	.. .	....	46
1A	7	George Pearson	44	39	41	39	39	30	....	....	45
B	7	J. A. Zeigler	29	27	30	27	29	25	....	....	30
C	7	S. E. Grove	35	31	38	35	37	31	....	....	38
D	7	Maggie Bingham	46	37	47	34	49	32	....	...	53
2A	7	Dillon Weagley	33	28	39	34	44	32	....	....	48
B	7	D. H. Garver	46	38	44	40	37	30	....	....	51
3	7	Emma Bachtel	29	16	43	24	40	24	....	....	54
4	7	Emory Taggart	22	16	24	18	23	17	....	....	37
1	8	Eugene Brown	64	46	68	41	55	37	....	....	80
2	8	William H Myers	23	16	34	22	33	23	....	....	35
3A	8	A. W. Leslie	36	26	53	37	48	40	....	....	57
B	8	M. E. Grimm	36	26	44	28	37	30	....	....	45
4	8	D D. Keedy	48	31	58	44	53	37	....	....	62
5	8	William C. Zahn	28	13	35	24	30	21	....	....	35
1A	9	C. A. Little	27	24	28	26	28	22	....	....	30
B	9	J. P. Harter	42	38	45	41	45	41	....	...	46
C	9	Linna Bell	44	38	40	36	41	35	....	....	46
2	9	John O. Wolfinger	26	18	31	22	31	21	....	....	32
3	9	David Summer	38	26	46	34	49	33	....	....	55
4	9	May F. Bell	31	23	29	23	28	21	....	....	38
5	9	Frank Leiter	34	25	38	34	39	33	....	....	40
6	9	John F. Kayhoe	48	36	53	44	47	37	....	....	60
7	9	F. Diffendal	36	25	44	34	40	25	....	....	49
8	9	E. Schildknecht	54	45	61	54	57	49	...	....	61
1A	10	H. Schriver	32	27	34	29	34	25	....	....	34
B	10	A. H. Wagoner	49	35	54	43	52	36	....	...	54
C	10	Sallie Gower	30	26	37	28	32	24	....	....	37

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			On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	
D	10	Ella Newcomer	69	51	63	52	59	48	....	....	78
2	10	Henry Ranger	20	15	32	20	28	19	....	....	38
3	10	Marene Lamar	32	21	38	28	36	23	....	....	44
4	10	S. J. Baker	23	18	28	22	29	22	....	....	29
1	11	L W. Scudamore	36	23	45	28	38	26	....	...	54
2	11	James Smith	50	27	48	22	38	21	....	....	59
3	11	M. and A. Carter	84	54	75	41	72	47	....	....	90
4	11	A. D. Warfield	35	19	28	15	36	17	....	....	47
5	11	Percy Little	47	26	58	30	44	25	....	....	65
1	12	D. E. Wolf	41	25	42	28	44	25	...	...	52
2	12	H. C. Miller	61	37	67	35	45	26	....	....	76
3	12	G. A. Irvin	63	44	70	50	68	47	....	...	76
4	12	P. E. Schamel	52	36	59	43	53	34	....	....	63
5	12	V. M. Richard	22	15	27	21	29	20	....	....	30
1	13	T. U. Noland	54	31	58	39	51	29	....	....	59
2	13	D. L. Ledy	35	22	47	30	42	25	....	....	52
3	13	G. W. Hicks	37	27	46	38	44	35	....	....	54
4	13	C. M. Miller	41	22	50	32	43	29	....	....	55
5	13	S. E. Harkins	60	39	69	51	44	31	....	....	72
6	13	D. S. Pittenger	39	25	51	36	46	31	....	....	52
7	13	J. E. S. Pryor	25	16	37	27	37	27	....	....	39
8	13	T. B. Rice	37	24	51	31	53	32	....	....	64
1A	14	D. M. Hoover	....	...	34	25	33	25	....	....	34
B	14	L. F. Benchoff	52	37	57	31	39	29	....	....	40

2	14	F. H. Harne	36	26	41	28	36	26	....	....	44
3	14	Maggie Bachtel	45	24	47	28	44	27	....	....	52
4	14	J. J. Brown	22	13	23	11	26	12	....	....	29
5	14	A. F. Diffendal	50	31	55	40	50	33	....	....	61
1	15	George W. Harman	29	16	29	14	35	22	....	....	41
2	15	M. L. Bachtel	39	19	53	36	54	30	....	...	59
3	15	A. J. Pittman	31	13	47	23	37	14	....	....	57
4	15	A. P. Hill	41	18	42	25	42	21	....	....	51
5	15	Celia Jacques	56	32	51	32	46	27	....	....	62
6	15	E. G. Kinsell	39	34	54	36	53	27	....	....	54
7	15	Lou A. Gehr	34	29	40	26	37	23	....	....	42
8	15	J. A. Phillips	30	25	38	30	37	31	....	...	38
9	15	J. L. V. Cook	25	15	28	21	30	21	....	...	30
1	16	John Wagaman	43	24	55	33	56	30	...	....	62
2	16	T. Harry Davis	35	17	41	21	36	21	...	....	46
3	16	J. M. Keeidler	63	47	74	53	79	44	....	....	85
4A	16	O. M. Warner	19	13	35	28	34	24	....	....	36
B	16	D. W. Doub	35	28	34	27	32	25	....	....	37
5	16	M. L. Keides	21	12	29	20	28	22	....	....	29
6	16	L. H. Gantz	27	20	31	21	29	19	....	....	31
1A	17	Schindel and Rowland	73	57	80	64	62	44	....	....	82
B	17	Dunlap and Brendle	84	68	94	69	83	59	....	....	97
C	17	Thomas and McGill	89	67	92	70	86	61	....	....	100
D	17	Rous Kulp, Newcomer and Walsh	170	132	163	125	150	110	....	....	185
2	17	Wilfred Rice	54	35	52	37	47	33	....	....	62
3	17	J. P. Fockler	30	21	33	27	33	24	....	....	38
4	17	C. E. Kaylor	27	19	35	29	35	25	....	....	35
5	17	S H. Caufman	37	30	45	34	45	34	....	...	45
1	18	Charles Santee	53	37	55	43	53	38	....	....	60
2A	18	John E. Kelley	27	21	34	28	32	30	....	....	34
B	18	Jennie Hiteshew	44	31	49	32	49	31	....	....	49
3	18	R. C. Yates	46	33	51	37	47	30	....	....	53
4	18	W. T. Noss	24	15	30	18	31	16	....	....	33
5	18	A. M. Wolfinger	52	41	60	46	55	40	....	....	63
1A	19	Thomas F. Lamar	25	18	38	30	37	23	....	....	38
B	19	Robert Lamar	29	21	38	30	38	25	....	....	42

WASHINGTON COUNTY—SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Attendance for the year ending June* 30, 1879—Continued.

No. of School.	District.	Name of Teacher.	Fall Term.		Winter Term.		Spring Term.		Summer Term.		No. of different pupils for the year
			On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	
C	19	Ella Kelsey	31	25	37	36	34	26	....	....	42
D	19	Effie Grossnickle	47	40	43	35	44	35	....	....	53
2	19	J. L. Lutz	36	26	42	29	41	31	....	....	43
3	19	C. W. Reichard	42	27	47	36	44	33	....	....	47
4	19	William H. Lamar	44	30	47	39	46	29	....	....	59
1A	20	W. M. Blair	20	14	28	24	31	20	....	....	35
B	20	Gerry Betts	50	39	44	39	47	37	....	....	57
2	20	Laura Grossnickle	37	25	41	27	33	24	....	....	44
3	20	A. H. Betts	46	24	51	29	50	24	...	....	56
4	20	A. J. Harsh	41	23	61	34	54	30	....	....	70
			6470	4494	7409	5237	6966	4844	....	....	8174

WASHINGTON COUNTY—SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Expenses for year ending September* 30, 1879.

No. of School.	District.	Fuel.	Repairs.	Other Incidental Expenses.	Furniture, Black Boards, Stoves.	Cost of Books.	Teachers' Salaries for the year.	Value of School Property.
1A	1	$47 00	$105 42	$6 97	$71 33	$0 54	$1,589 62	$6,368 74
2	1	9 38	40	52	3 31	5 66	240 00	1,022 19
3	1	11 13	3 25	78	....	....	210 00	875 00
1A	2	100 90	68 34	11 18	5 77	17 64	1,440 00	9,651 48
2	2	9 37	313 48	26	152 06	....	330 00	663 54
3	2	10 63	1 50	52	3 00	....	240 00	1,025 00
4	2	8 12	....	78	80 00	98	255 60	.....
*		14 41	2 00	2 46	30 25	6 61	572 90	7,725 05
1A	3	126 43	93 53	5 43	74 46	21 64	2,349 40	.....
2	3	12 85	6 20	52	17 95	....	268 24	540 05
3	3	9 35	12	1 04	30	3 25	297 81	990 00
4	3	11 35	..	52	3 25	....	260 95	.....
1A	4	55 45	79 10	12 52	86 90	5 20	1,330 89	5,336 00
2	4	12 75	....	26	50	....	237 60	.....
3	4	8 35	5 00	1 43	50	....	300 00	390 00
4	4	20 22	2 93	91	1 43	....	330 00	1,021 22
5	4	12 75	7 55	26	4 35	....	244 93	350 00
6	4	3 75	....	26	....	....	315 70	1,073 75
7	4	7 50	....	....	....	....	210 00	290 00
8	4	8 35	2 00	39	61	1 42	175 90	310 00
9	4	8 35	381 50	91	35 38	....	287 60	607 64
1A	5	38 05	88 68	9 88	6 32	16 76	1,362 36	2,033 22
2	5	13 75	6 84	13	83	35	268 50	1,215 00
3	5	11 50	4 00	78	2 97	1 85	236 00	250 00
4	5	9 00	3 90	....	1 15	50	300 00	412 32
5	5	14 23	402 75	78	52 97	3 53	260 10	455 73
6	5	12 25	1 00	39	25	....	172 20	477 26
7	5	5 00	....	....	....	....	207 50	405 90
8	5	4 75	....	....	1 88	....	207 50	.....
1A	6	89 71	38 25	3 90	97 25	5 87	1,710 00	8,685 43
2	6	10 17	500 00	26	24 25	1 02	330 00	525 00
3	6	11 25	2 00	1 17	2 10	1 50	270 00	300 00
4	6	3 00	17 22	91	3 17	3 33	270 00	691 00
5	6	6 56	4 68	....	....	....	295 00	1,517 00
6	6	12 75	4 25	51	2 50	3 98	270 00	1,049 00
1A	7	106 83	23 80	15 60	53 76	90	1,470 00	4,413 00
2A	7	30 72	5 24	5 02	1 20	1 88	595 68	2,449 00
3	7	14 00	67	1 04	25	....	210 00	280 00
4	7	10 32	....	52	1 70	....	263 70	406 00
1	8	12 00	3 50	78	20 35	....	300 00	.....
2	8	10 50	50	39	25	73	270 00	767 00
3A	8	23 50	10 38	1 30	35 89	....	540 00	.....
4	8	11 25	3 18	13	1 00	....	270 00	925 00
5	8	13 50	3 00	1 30	7 33	4 30	270 00	632 00
1A	9	35 14	544 82	9 63	7 61	4 28	1,076 33	2,967 00
2	9	8 85	92 74	52	2 25	....	300 00	425 00
3	9	10 60	1 40	78	75	....	266 80	540 00
4	9	13 60	....	52	21 25	....	270 00	.....
5	9	21 59	1 50	1 56	18 75	1 50	300 00	1,042 00

* High School.

WASHINGTON COUNTY—SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Expenses for year ending September* 30, 1879—Continued.

No. of School.	District.	Fuel.	Repairs.	Other Incidental Expenses.	Furniture, Black Boards, Stoves.	Cost of Books.	Teachers' Salaries for the year.	Value of School Property.
6	9	$17 97	$5 55	$1 04	$19 70	$....	$300 00	$259 00
7	9	17 12	....	1 30	55	....	270 00	.....
8	9	10 97	14 90	1 30	25	1 50	330 00	925 00
1A	10	54 41	93 49	4 11	9 29	2 40	1,393 06	4,532 00
2	10	8 48	420 10	26	25 10	2 86	326 70	553 48
3	10	14 85	47	39	95	....	238 43	635 00
4	10	15 10	....	52	75	...	270 00	510 00
1	11	15 00	....	52	1 50	50	257 50	550 00
2	11	12 50	....	39	21 13	36	300 00	1,476 00
3	11	16 00	127 83	1 04	3 63	6 17	473 74	445 00
4	11	12 50	8 70	91	4 70	....	303 60	644 00
5	11	7 00	2 08	52	2 28	1 57	210 00	731 00
1	12	12 38	3 03	52	95	5 40	270 00	1,067 00
2	12	12 88	12 33	52	....	....	240 00	485 00
3	12	13 00	10 96	1 17	1 04	1 44	330 00	1,075 00
4	12	24 37	9 17	1 17	1 05	1 16	252 00	1,050 00
5	12	12 25	7 92	1 17	33 05	...	270 00	.....
1	13	16 74	119 00	52	156 43	13	243 54	784 00
2	13	11 47	2 59	78	30 11	....	240 00	290 00
3	13	17 43	8 28	52	....	1 30	270 00	550 00
4	13	21 39	3 21	52	2 56	....	210 00	540 00
5	13	12 47	45	39	1 00	....	240 00	380 00
6	13	11 85	17 21	26	30	4 81	270 00	914 00
7	13	9 35	8 50	84	50	...	278 40	700 00
8	13	16 50	5 40	52	1 25	....	270 00	390 00
1A	14	45 63	847 96	2 40	209 98	....	476 00	1,058 00
2	14	13 60	305 35	78	65 58	....	263 70	692 00
3	14	28 50	5 00	52	....	2 84	210 00	554 00
4	14	15 50	....	52	1 01	....	227 20	1,057 00
5	14	18 59	9 56	1 30	25	....	298 20	1,125 00
1	15	8 82	....	52	10 00	....	271 25	300 00
2	15	17 58	8 55	39	55	35	300 00	335 00
3	15	9 32	....	26	3 09	....	258 30	485 00
4	15	8 83	....	41	1 85	....	270 00	416 00
5	15	9 07	30 85	91	....	...	175 00	470 00
6	15	8 83	6 17	52	3 75	1 49	330 00	929 00
7	15	8 82	....	26	....	....	270 00	975 00
8	15	10 59	10 00	....	....	86	300 00	851 00
9	15	15 50	22 60	....	3 30	3 50	240 00	295 00
1	16	12 35	2 10	52	1 00	....	266 04	775 00
2	16	13 06	50	65	35	3 97	270 00	290 00
3	16	12 60	3 65	65	....	6 31	315 00	572 00
4A	16	31 55	100 51	30	9 28	3 38	594 00	1,464 00
5	16	9 85	....	13	....	....	268 40	919 00
6	16	11 85	...	39	2 50	....	204 50	.....
1A	17	....	....	....	....	....	.....	10,200 00
B	17	76 83	53 87	14 16	56 36	28 04	2,429 07	.....
2	17	8 60	63 30	1 04	20 80	....	210 00	635 00

WASHINGTON COUNTY—SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Expenses for Year ending September* 30, 1879—Continued.

No. of School.	District.	Fuel.	Repairs.	Other Incidental Expenses.	Furniture, Black Boards, Stoves.	Cost of Books.	Teachers' Salaries for the year.	Value of School Property.
3	17	$13 59	$ 7 40	$ 78	$ 2 75	$	$ 270 00	$425 00
4	17	9 35	60	13	.....	.....	300 00	1,055 00
5	17	17 72	1 75	1 04	61 11	.....	265 48	1,000 00
1	18	12 25	....	1 69	20	.....	300 00	.....
2A	18	20 08	630 46	4 16	202 22	9 82	568 55	1,233 00
3	18	9 18	4 23	78	65	46	300 00	922 00
4	18	15 75	50	1 30	50	.....	261 90	250 00
5	18	14 00	....	2 34	31 63	.....	330 00	1,091 00
1A	19	44 87	22 09	4 42	5 07	74	1,230 00	3,280 00
2	19	10 79	75	52	94	.....	300 00	350 00
3	19	10 00	40	39	30 60	.....	240 00	1,083 00
4	19	12 13	35	78	2 44	.....	270 00	.....
1A	20	22 00	....	4 29	50	6 14	570 00	1,110 00
2	20	11 88	12 45	1 04	1 12	20	270 00	551 00
3	20	11 88	....	52	2 20	1 07	240 00	682 00
4	20	14 56	....	52	1 33	5 05	270 00	700 00
		$2,112 64	$5,868 74	$178 24	$1,990 31	$219 04	$46,538 37	$129,266 00

WASHINGTON COUNTY—COLORED SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Attendance for year ending June* 30, 1879.

No. of School.	District.	Name of Teacher.	Fall Term.		Winter Term		Spring Term.		Summer Term.		No. of different pupils for the year.
			On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	
4	1	Jas. F. Samons	30	17	24	16	29	20	....	....	33
5	2	Whit. T. Williams	48	27	58	37	50	38	....	....	78
5	3	Louisa Jacobs	64	43	57	35	44	32	....	....	76
10	4	Alex. Becks	59	43	72	54	65	59	....	....	78
9	5	J. W. Truman	48	32	57	31	52	28	...	....	60
7	6	C. W. Trusty	30	17	28	18	27	14	....	....	35
5	10	G. H. Seighman	28	18	28	22	29	22	...	....	29
6	11	W. B Hill	28	20	32	20	32	20	....	...	32
6	12	W. E. Nelson	16	12	24	14	27	16	...	....	28
10	15	W. Niemeyer	....	....	....	...	11	10	....	....	11
7	16	F. V. Camp	19	12	30	15	28	20	....	....	36
6	17	G. W. Braye	35	23	36	23	32	26	....	....	42
5	19	T. McDaniels	28	19	27	15	31	20	....	....	31
			433	283	473	300	457	325	...	....	569

WASHINGTON COUNTY—COLORED SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Expenses for year ending September* 30, 1879.

No. of School.	District.	Value of School Property.	Fuel.	Repairs.	Other Incidental Expenses.	Furniture, Black Boards, Stoves.	Cost of Books.	Teachers' Salaries for the year.
4	1	$	$9 75	$ ...	$ 39	$ 2 50	$1 78	$210 00
5	2	440 00	9 63	4 25	39	40	4 33	240 00
5	3	.....	10 10	....	52	2 00	4 16	210 00
10	4	.....	8 35	3 35	....	2 25	.....	210 00
9	5	375 00	10 75	5 70	1 04	4 00	4 67	210 00
7	6	.....	16 13	4 42	78	1 92	.....	237 10
5	10	.....	10 85	60	39	1 75	5 04	200 90
6	11	.....	20 25	...	26	85	.....	210 00
6	12	.....	11 25	....	39	1 75	.....	207 50
10	15	238 00	....	237 50	....	25	.....	50 00
7	16	.....	13 50	80	....	55	1 07	210 00
6	17	625 00	10 60	2 75	65	50	4 24	240 00
5	19	.....	6 45	....	52	....	5 05	210 00
		$1,678 00	$137 61	$259 37	$5 33	$18 72	$30 34	$2,645 50

COLORED SCHOOLS—*Receipts and Disbursements for the year ending September* 30, 1879.

RECEIPTS.

Amount received from State Treasurer	$1,509 00
Amount received from County School Board	1,792 87
	$3,301 87

DISBURSEMENTS.

Paid for Teachers' salaries	$2,645 50	
Incidental expenses	5 33	
Rent	205 00	
Fuel	137 61	
Books and Stationery	30 34	
Repairs	259 37	
Furniture	18 72	
		$3,301 87

WASHINGTON COUNTY—*Statement of Receipts and Disbursements for Public School Purposes, for the Year ending September* 30, 1879.

RECEIPTS.

Balance on hand September 30, 1878		$ 166 65
State School Tax		17,276 66
State Free School Fund		2,834 75
State Donations		1,200 00
County School Tax, 1878, at .. cents on the $100		32,000 00
†Amount of Levy	$38,000 00	
Interest on Investments		72 00
State Appropriation to Colored Schools		1,509 00
County Tax, 1879		5,000 00
" Appropriation, special		450 00
School Houses sold		357 00
Miscellaneous		84 63
Loans		5,064 74
		$66,015 43

DISBURSEMENTS.

Teachers' Salaries		$ 48,610 97	
Fuel		2,250 25	
Incidental Expenses of Schools		183 57	
Rent		754 62	
Books and Stationery		249 38	
Building Schools Houses		5,196 61	
Repairing School Houses		931 50	
Furniture, Black-boards and Stoves		2,009 03	
High Schools or Academies		572 90	
Interest		1,352 70	
Salary of Secretary, Treasurer and Examiner		1,472 80	
Per Diem of School Commissioners		711 00	
Office Expenses and Account Books		115 95	
Printing and Advertising		220 25	
Cost of Colored Schools (included above)	$3,301 87		
Salaries advanced		476 29	
Geo. B. Oswald fees		21 65	
Insurance		100 00	
Teachers' Association		10 00	
Books on hand		427 89	
Balance Cash on hand		348 07	
			$66,015 43

†$6,000 paid in September, 1878.

Indebtedness over assets, $12,270.68.

WICOMICO COUNTY.

F. C. TODD, *President.* G. W. M. COOPER, *Secretary, &c.*

Prof. M. A. Newell,

DEAR SIR: I herewith transmit to you the report of the Board of School Commissioners for Wicomico County for the year ending September 30, 1879.

Very respectfully,

G. W. M. COOPER,

Secretary.

WICOMICO COUNTY—SUMMARY OF SCHOOL STATISTICS

For year ending September 30, 1879.

	1879.	1878.
Number of School Houses—All Frame	70	71
Number of Male Teachers (Principals)	43	44
" Female " "	28	30
" Male " (Assistants)	1	2
" Female " "	2	2
Total	74	78
Number of Fenced Lots	8	8
" Schools having Out-Buildings	36	33
" " having sufficient Black-Boards	66	67
" " having good Furniture	70	69
" Terms Schools were Open	3	3
" Different Pupils for the year—White 3,191		
Colored 951		
Total .....——4,142	4,110	
" Pupils in average attendance—White 1,446		
Colored 411		
Total .....——1,857	1,870	
" Official School Visits paid by Examiner	83	37

NUMBER OF PUPILS.

	Fall Term.		Winter Term.		Spring Term.		Summer Term	
	1879	1878	1879	1878	1879	1878	1879	1878
On Roll	2,786	2,706	3,676	3,785	3,085	3,019	....	....
Av. Attendance	1,613	1,585	2,210	2,377	1,748	1,648	....	....

	1879	1878
Number of Pupils in 1st Grade March 1st	782	893
" " 2d " "	576	639
" " 3d " "	709	776
" " 4th " "	664	681
" " 5th " "	543	457
" " 6th " "	305	265
" " Above 6th "	60	75

" " Book-Keeping 1; Algebra 28; Philosophy 17; Geometry 13; Physiology 27; Latin 22; Greek 2.

SCHOOL HOUSES BUILT OR ENLARGED DURING THE YEAR.

No. of School.	District.	Brick or Frame	Cost.	Length.	Width.	Height.	Square Feet of Blackboard.	Out-Buildings, Yes or No.	Fences, Yes or No.	Cost of Furniture
5	8	Frame.	*$191 00	24	20	10	24	No.	No.	....

* Including Furniture.

WICOMICO COUNTY—SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Attendance for the year ending June* 30, 1879.

No. of School.	District.	Name of Teacher.	Fall Term.		Winter Term.		Spring Term.		Summer Term.		No. of different pupils for the Year.
			On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	
1	1	Isaac L. English	36	22	49	29	38	20	....	....	55
2	1	A. E. Acworth, Miss E. E. Venable, Ass't	82	47	85	53	77	53	....	....	103
3	1	Esther W Phillips	33	18	48	27	36	20	....	....	56
4	1	Maggie V. Wilson	40	19	63	34	60	26	....	....	68
5	1	Levin T. Cooper	43	24	69	37	49	20	....	...	70
1	2	E. Sheppard Gordy	36	19	50	29	46	26	....	....	52
2	2	Alice M. Pollitt	25	14	26	14	26	11	....	....	33
3	2	Mattie S. Collier	22	10	34	2[illegible]	22	15	....	...	40
4	2	Esther M. Dashiell	35	16	50	33	41	25	....	....	54
5	2	George T. Robertson	37	20	57	36	49	28	....	....	57
6	2	May F. Turpin	21	14	24	16	22	15	....	.. .	38
1	3	George W. Perry	52	31	54	34	54	40	....	...	58
2	3	Chas. C. Conoway	31	19	36	22	38	25	....	....	38
3	3	Elias J. Robertson	30	17	37	21	39	25	....	....	46
4	3	George N. Crosby	59	43	65	42	70	50	....	....	72
5	3	E. Wesley Taylor	46	30	52	37	...	....	....	....	....
5	3	Sam'l J. Conoway	....	....	....	....	51	40	....	....	52
6	3	E. Pierce Roberts	65	49	68	43	67	46	....	....	77
1	4	James E. Moore	52	28	78	45	....	....	....	....	....
1	4	Frank Farlow	....	....	....	....	58	23	....	....	87
2	4	George T. Truitt	36	20	52	35	43	22	....	....	61
3	4	Stansbury W. Smith	26	13	39	22	29	16	....	....	43
4	4	Sarah R Williams	30	16	52	22	37	18	....	....	60
5	4	Josephine Harrison	19	10	58	37	38	14	....	....	63

WICOMICO COUNTY—SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Attendance for the year ending June* 30, 1879.

No. of School.	District.	Name of Teacher.	Fall Term.		Winter Term.		Spring Term.		Summer Term.		No. of different pupils for the Year.
			On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	
6	4	James C. Littleton	52	31	67	47	47	29	....	....	80
7	4	George W. Perdue	45	26	55	36	45	30	....	....	63
8	4	Henry D. Powell	20	6	34	17	21	11	....	....	40
9	4	H Benj. Hitch	32	14	50	32	40	21	....	....	53
10	4	Lizzie J. McCallister	36	20	57	30	36	18	....	....	65
	5	Wm. H. Warren, Grammar School	46	40	47	40	48	38	....	....	55
	5	Lottie J. Fish, Primary No. 3	53	40	47	37	42	35	....	....	53
	5	Eliza E. Fish, Primary No. 2	36	29	38	27	49	40	....	...	51
	5	Sallie H. Shipley, Primary No. 1	65	50	73	49	56	47	....	....	86
2	5	Lizzie Warren	40	16	36	26	31	14	....	....	46
3	5	Coel J. Morris	25	12	41	20	18	10	....	....	54
4	5	Jeanie Fulton	38	16	44	20	29	12	....	....	51
5	5	Nancy E Parsons	31	17	69	39	41	19	....	....	75
1	6	Amanda E. Dennis	45	23	63	33	45	19	....	...	72
2	6	George W. Truitt	25	11	42	25	30	14	....	....	42
1	7	Levin B Price	31	21	58	28	57	28	....	....	70
2	7	John T. Handy	12	7	29	17	26	13	....	....	30
3	7	Vaughan S. Gordy	41	18	60	24	39	19	....	....	64
4	7	Theresa Dashiell	54	40	68	45	62	35	....	....	72
5	7	Jennie W. Waller	23	14	37	19	27	13	....	....	42
1	8	H. Crawford Bounds	22	12	22	20	23	13	....	....	32
2	8	M. Virginia White	25	13	40	20	28	16	....	....	52
3	8	Jennie W. Wright	24	11	41	22	30	18	....	....	41
4	8	Mollie F. McGrath	19	11	33	18	23	13	....	....	37

5	8	Alice C. Downing	40	23	47	32	30	17	....	....	48
6	8	William H Collins	18	10	27	17	17	10	....	....	30
1	9	T. A. Melson, S. K. Slemons, Ass't	67	41	77	47	69	40	....	....	78
2	9	Theodore Williams	29	10	61	34	58	19	...	....	63
3	9	Sallie B. Harris	37	28	49	34	43	30	....	....	52
4	9	Nannie H White	61	37	65	41	63	31	....	....	76
*	9	Thos. H. Williams	41	35	42	34	41	33	....	....	45
1	10	John W. Collins	56	36	56	35	39	23	....	....	65
2	10	William A. Riggin	58	27	65	39	55	34	....	....	79
3	10	Thomas W. English	29	17	32	17	31	16	....	....	46
			2132	1261	2818	1721	2329	1356	....	....	3191

* High School.

WICOMICO COUNTY—SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Expenses for year ending September* 30, 1879.

No. of School.	District.	Rent.	Fuel.	Repairs.	Other Incidental Expenses.	Furniture, Black-Boards, Stoves.	Teachers' Salaries for the year.	Receipts from Books.
1	1	$....	$ 6 00	$ 9 33	$	$	$ 236 00	.....
2	1	....	16 00	....	17 15	8 55	555 00	.....
3	1	....	5 50	9 33	....	.....	227 58	.....
4	1	....	5 00	9 33	5 00	.....	235 26	.....
5	1	....	9 38	10 93	1 50	.....	245 00	.....
1	2	...	5 31	14 40	...	1 15	234 60	.....
2	2	....	7 50	9 33	....	.....	203 50	.....
3	2	3 00	8 90	5 83	40	2 86	204 42	.....
4	2	....	4 50	18 53	40	.....	239 00	.....
5	2	....	....	5 83	14 00	2 75	239 50	.....
6	2	24 00	7 00	....	....	9 60	180 00	.....
1	3	....	12 00	5 83	....	.....	264 45	.....
2	3	....	9 63	13 58	....	55	229 00	.....
3	3	....	4 52	10 53	....	20	223 92	.....
4	3	....	7 25	1 58	....	1 87	299 00	.....
5	3	...	10 00	4 50	2 00	.....	162 38	.....
5	3	....	....	6 83	....	.....	94 00	.....
6	3	....	6 05	13 21	2 00	1 06	300 88	.....
1	4	....	6 25	3 50	....	50	181 00	.....
1	4	...	....	5 83	....	.....	78 00	.....
2	4	....	7 38	6 83	....	13 28	241 50	.....
3	4	....	9 05	5 83	....	17 65	207 06	.....
4	4	....	11 28	11 08	....	.....	220 00	.....
5	4	...	7 75	7 02	....	65	227 03	.....
6	4	....	12 37	10 83	....	1 44	265 13	.....
7	4	....	7 75	10 83	....	14 56	256 00	.....
8	4	....	1 50	9 33	...	.....	194 83	.....
9	4	....	4 85	9 33	....	.....	232 00	.....
10	4	....	13 00	14 15	5 00	39	231 00	.....
	5	....	12 71	6 86	2 50	17 85	375 00	.....
	5	....	11 86	1 26	2 50	1 40	255 00	.....
	5	....	11 05	2 04	2 50	11 50	255 00	.....
	5	....	11 28	1 99	2 50	1 88	255 00	.....
2	5	....	....	9 33	....	2 50	221 00	.....
2	5	....	9 35	7 40	....	1 50	200 79	.....
4	5	....	5 88	9 68	....	13 35	209 07	.....
5	5	....	5 12	11 10	....	1 25	237 58	.....
1	6	....	4 50	9 63	....	.....	239 00	.....
2	6	....	6 75	9 33	....	.....	218 64	.....
1	7	....	4 50	9 33	....	25	248 17	.....
2	7	....	2 50	9 33	18 00	25	212 00	.....
3	7	....	5 09	9 83	....	.....	214 46	.....
4	7	....	4 50	13 54	5 47	.....	283 00	.....
5	7	....	9 50	10 18	....	.....	206 07	.....
1	8	....	5 15	9 33	65	.....	179 66	.....
2	8	....	11 21	13 96	2 02	6 34	214 00	.....
3	8	....	6 26	9 58	....	.....	219 00	.....
4	8	....	3 15	9 33	14 31	.....	211 67	.....
5	8	....	7 00	9 33	8 40	.....	232 60	.....

WICOMICO COUNTY—SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Expenses for year ending September* 30, 1879—Continued.

No. of Schools.	District.	Rent.	Fuel.	Repairs.	Other Incidental Expenses.	Furniture, Black Boards, Stoves.	Teachers' Salaries for the Year.	Receipts from Books.
6	8	$	$5 30	$9 56	$	$ 8 23	$ 159 48	.....
1	9	....	....	9 33	....	50	338 25	.....
2	9	....	7 56	10 18	1 00	.....	229 36	.....
3	9	....	6 00	11 33	....	7 22	255 00	.....
4	9	....	10 16	10 74	1 25	.....	272 00	.....
*	9	....	21 39	13 66	3 79	.....	750 00	.....
1	10	....	7 15	9 93	85	.....	257 00	.....
2	10	....	5 62	18 85	....	.....	272 45	.....
3	10	....	3 79	9 53	....	.....	215 00	.....
		$27 00	$410 05	$518 93	$113 19	$151 08	$ 14,142 29	.....

* High School.

WICOMICO COUNTY—COLORED SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Attendance for year ending June* 30, 1879.

No. of School.	District.	Name of Teacher.	Fall Term.		Winter Term.		Spring Term.		Summer Term.		No. of different pupils for the year.
			On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	
1	1	Malachi D. Cornish	41	24	64	44	54	30	....	....	67
1	2	Ellen Levi	32	18	68	35	62	38	....	....	79
1	3	H. M. J. Ewell	38	20	47	28	50	22	....	....	51
2	3	Ella L. Brown	55	20	77	29	80	30	....	....	80
3	3	L. L. Nicken	84	50	88	58	84	48	....	....	104
4	3	Mahlon Van Horn	51	31	54	35	53	28	....	....	60
1	4	Richard P. Jones	34	13	46	26	35	19	....	...	54
1	5	D. W. Fry; L. V. Huston, Assistant	87	59	90	56	84	57	....	....	98
2	5	Henrietta E. Parker	22	12	39	22	27	11	....	....	39
1	7	Robert F. Smith	42	15	52	26	32	12	....	....	75
1	8	T. B. H. Coleman	36	16	46	19	38	11	....	....	46
1	9	Daniel A. Neal	61	36	84	53	79	50	....	....	88
2	9	Hannah Jones	26	17	50	27	39	18	....	....	54
1	10	Isaac Purnell	45	21	53	31	39	18	....	....	56
			654	352	858	489	756	392	....	....	126

COLORED SCHOOLS.—*Receipts and Disbursements for the year ending September* 30, 1879.

Receipts.

Amount Received from State Treasurer	$2,853 68
Amount received from County School Board	367 29
Tonging Licenses	100 00
	$3,320 97

Disbursements.

Paid for Teachers' Salaries	$3,097 35
Incidental Expenses	6 60
Repairs	131 15
Fuel	75 83
Furniture, Black Boards, Stoves	10 04
	$3,320 97

WICOMICO COUNTY—COLORED SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Expenses for the year ending September* 30, 1879.

No. of School.	District.	Rent.	Fuel.	Repairs.	Other Incidental Expenses.	Furniture, Black Boards, Stoves.	Cost of Books.	Teachers' Salaries for the Year.
1	1	....	$4 00	$9 33	$....	$....	.....	$196 79
1	2	....	7 00	9 33	....	55	.....	208 68
1	3	....	7 51	9 33	4 00	....	.....	206 03
2	3	....	3 75	9 33	....	....	.....	210 00
3	3	....	9 75	10 95	....	70	.....	225 00
4	3	....	1 25	9 33	..	1 00	.....	207 36
1	4	....	8 25	7 18	....	....	.....	210 00
1	5	....	16 07	9 33	....	85	.....	425 00
2	5	....	3 75	9 33	....	35	.....	186 22
1	7	....	5 00	9 33	80	80	.....	210 00
1	8	....	3 00	9 33	75	25	.....	208 68
1	9	....	4 30	10 39	1 05	1 41	.....	210 00
2	9	...	....	9 33	....	3 75	.....	196 80
1	10	....	2 20	9 33	....	38	.....	196 79
		....	$75 83	$131 15	$6 60	$10 04	.....	$3,097 35

WICOMICO COUNTY—*Statement of Receipts and Disbursements for Public School Purposes, for the year ending September* 30, 1879.

Receipts.		Disbursements.	
Balance on hand, Sept 30, 1878	$2,471 24	Teachers' Salaries	$14,142 29
State School Tax	8,992 13	Fuel	410 05
State Free School Fund	1,633 99	Inc'l Expenses of Schools.	104 79
State Donations	1,200 00	Rent	27 00
County School Tax for '78, collected	2,386 56	Books and Stationery	1,162 53
Amount of Levy...$5,000		Building School Houses	191 00
Sales of Books to Teachers	419 56	Repairing "	518 93
Sales of Books in Office	253 22	Furniture, Black Boards, and Stoves	159 48
State Appropriation to Colored Schools	2,853 68	High School included above...$788 84	
Balance Co. School Tax for 1877, collected	4,296 46	Salary of Secretary, Treasurer and Examiner	900 00
*Tonging Licenses due the White Schools $348 65 —Collected	100 00	Per Diem of School Commissioners	185 50
*Tonging Licenses due the Colored Schools $191 90 —Collected	100 00	Office expenses, including Rent of Office and Account Books	70 22
		Printing and Advertising	24 50
		Paid to Colored Schools	3,320 97
		Insur. on School Houses	18 00
		District Libraries	20 00
		Slating	7 25
		Ex. Ass'n School Com	41 99
* Since collected.		Balance Cash on Hand	3,402 34
	$24,706 84		$24,706 84

WORCESTER COUNTY.

Prof. M. A. Newell,

Dear Sir: My annual report for the year ending September 30th, 1879, is herewith submitted.

In my last annual report I felt authorized to state that the Public Schools of this County, during the year ending September 30th, 1878, had made decided progress; that, in fact, during that year our Public Schools attained a higher degree of excellence than ever before. While I cannot say that our Schools, during the year just ended, have been better than they were the year before, yet I can assure you they have been equally as good. If no decided advancement, yet there has been no step backward. We have fully maintained the standard of excellence attained during the preceding year. This we have accomplished without being compelled to go in debt, as many of our sister counties have been unfortunate enough to do. On the other hand, the Treasurer's accounts will show a handsome cash balance in the Treasury. In short, I think I can say that during the past year our schools have been well taught, our teachers promptly paid, and our houses kept in good repair.

Very respectfully,

GEORGE M. UPSHUR.

Secretary.

WORCESTER COUNTY—SUMMARY OF SCHOOL STATISTICS

For the year ending June 30, 1879.

	1879.	1878.
Number of School Houses—Frame, 61	61	58
Number of Male Teachers (Principals)	41	40
" Female " "	38	40
" Male " (Assistants)	2	1
" Female " "	5	8
Total	86	89
Number of Fenced Lots	7	9
" Schools having Out-buildings	24	19
" " having sufficient Black-boards	59	48
" " having good Furniture	57	54
" Terms Schools were Open	4	4
" different Pupils for the year	4,116	4,102
" Pupils in average attendance—White 1,245; *Colored 465	1,710	1,690
" Official School Visits paid by Examiner	71	71

NUMBER OF PUPILS.

	Fall Term.	Winter Term.	Spring Term.	Summer Term
On Roll	2,522	3,511	3,174	1,571
Av. attendance	1,531	2,055	1,823	966

	1879.	1878.
Number of Pupils in 1st Grade December 1	857	890
" " 2d " " 1	470	509
" " 3d " " 1	413	415
" " 4th " " 1	374	367
" " 5th " " 1	260	210
" " 6th " " 1	114	134
" " Above 6th " 1	107	92

" " Book-Keeping 7; Algebra 103; Philosophy 45; Geometry 64; Physiology 52; Latin 84.

SCHOOL HOUSES BUILT OR ENLARGED DURING THE YEAR.

No. of Schools.	District.	Brick or Frame.	Cost.	Length.	Width.	Height.	Square Feet of Black-Board	Out-Buildings. Yes or No.	Fences—Yes or No.	Cost of Furniture.
				Feet.	*Feet.*	*Feet.*				
5	5	Frame	$200 00	24	20	11	24	No.	No.	†
4	9	Frame	317 75	30	24	11	40	Yes.	Yes.	$124 35

* For three terms only. † Included in Building.

WORCESTER COUNTY—SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Attendance for year ending June* 30, 1879.

No of School.	District.	Name of Teacher.	Fall Term. On Roll.	Fall Term. Average daily attendance.	Winter Term. On Roll.	Winter Term. Average daily attendance.	Spring Term. On Roll.	Spring Term. Average daily attendance.	Summer Term. On Roll.	Summer Term. Average daily attendance.	No. of different pupils for the year.
1	1	Charles H Councill	19	13	31	24	28	18	19	14	37
2	1	Sidney W. Handy	37	31	38	29	37	29	31	19	39
2	1	Millie Primrose	26	17	25	20	35	26	30	19	35
2	1	John S. McMaster and Assistant	60	49	62	49	54	47	51	42	62
2	1	Fannie Matthews and Assistant	89	66	102	60	94	70	80	57	113
3	1	M Emma Jones	39	17	57	32	48	22	29	14	85
4	1	Jennie B Fox	42	21	75	38	65	27	32	13	75
5	1	Josie T. Truitt	37	17	46	28	44	27	32	18	48
1	2	Hattie A. Jones	17	9	21	12	26	14	19	13	28
2	2	Samuel L. Benson	29	15	30	18	34	17	33	21	47
3	2	Eugene E. Mumford	32	10	45	23	38	14	23	11	67
4	2	James A. Rock	16	10	21	13	19	12	17	12	21
5	2	Richard K. Wimbrough	32	26	29	18	26	21	23	10	32
5	2	James R. Townsend	26	20	27	19	27	23	26	18	30
5	2	Annie V. Dymock	39	28	43	29	39	31	36	22	44
5	2	Virginia Hack and Assistant	67	50	69	45	81	60	78	62	85
1	3	Julia A Mumford	27	19	37	22	36	28	33	22	46
2	3	John B. Baker	27	14	48	23	35	15	19	9	51
3	3	Sally M. Hall	21	12	33	21	32	15	14	9	34
4	3	William W. Bigger	50	15	53	26	45	22	24	15	65
5	3	Mary K Reed	19	9	34	18	24	9	9	7	34
1	4	Denard W. Johnson	20	8	37	19	29	11	26	11	44
2	4	Fanny Preston	8	5	28	10	17	8	10	5	32
3	4	Ara P. Bowen	35	23	60	35	55	25	28	17	66

4	4	Cordelia S. Burbage	....	....	21	15	19	11	10	6	
1	5	William J. Rankin	42	21	56	35	48	26	30	16	
2	5	James B. Blades and Assistant	73	42	87	49	90	47	56	27	116
3	5	Albert B. Bowden	34	12	54	27	29	16	25	12	96
4	5	Cyrus T. Whaley	21	9	36	15	31	9	....	....	43
1	6	Maggie A Fooks	19	12	35	16	23	9	....	....	35
2	6	Ella C Reed	20	10	44	24	39	14	....	....	47
3	6	Maria V. Parker	19	10	28	15	17	11	15	12	34
4	6	Annie K. Bowen	28	15	53	31	43	20	23	12	56
5	6	Josiah Fooks	31	16	30	23	21	13	....	...	33
1	7	J. Florence Milbourne	30	16	46	27	38	19	18	10	47
2	7	Sue N. Stagg	14	9	20	11	18	10	14	5	27
3	7	Sally Smith	27	15	35	17	34	16	29	17	45
4	7	Virginia T. Dickerson	26	14	36	19	30	13	14	9	48
5	7	William A. McAllen	22	11	35	20	33	18	25	13	40
6	7	Lizzie P. Vincent	17	14	18	16	23	15	15	12	23
7	7	Jerome T. Hayman	19	11	29	16	23	11	....	....	35
8	7	William T. Dickerson	16	9	12	8	....	...	....	....	16
9	7	Robert T. Davis	23	13	26	12	29	12	29	10	42
1	8	Emma S. Scott and Ella Scott	30	15	49	23	41	18	28	15	53
2	8	J. Glenn Townsend	32	22	32	24	31	23	25	19	36
2	8	Jennie Godfrey & Ass't; Mary Taylor & Asst	65	38	88	57	102	63	74	50	113
3	8	Ella Hubbell	52	22	68	29	59	27	38	19	80
4	8	David J. Lecompte	39	26	49	32	45	31	37	27	56
4	8	Kate Jones	46	25	62	33	67	38	44	28	82
5	8	Edward Clayville	17	9	27	19	30	13	....	....	30
1	9	Edward D Martin	23	18	22	17	22	20	20	16	23
1	9	M. Minnie Robinson	28	24	27	19	28	24	28	21	30
1	9	Angie J. Hudson	50	37	61	41	62	44	51	32	77
1	9	Rachael A. Hudson	40	32	46	29	52	39	42	30	57
2	9	John M. Richardson	36	19	61	32	47	23	29	20	67
3	9	Kate S Bowen	26	10	46	14	39	13	25	10	48
4	9	Edward J. Gilliss	32	18	67	35	50	25	26	13	80
5	9	Alice E. Timmons and Assistant	50	35	80	46	69	39	40	23	86
6	9	John Hocking	31	15	44	28	34	19	21	12	44
7	9	Lizzie A. Hall	23	10	35	16	23	14	18	10	38
			1895	1138	2616	1521	2357	1354	1571	966	3097

WORCESTER COUNTY—SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Expenses for year ending September* 30, 1879.

No of School.	District.	Rent.	Fuel.	Repairs.	Other Incidental Expenses.	Furniture, Black-Boards, Stoves.	Teachers' Salaries for the year.	Value of School Property.
1	1	....	$7 44	$1 40	$0 43	.....	$216 00	$150 00
2	1	....	4 55	9 45	42 10	.....	800 00	4,000 00
2	1	....	....	20	2 40	.....	342 00	.....
2	1	....	....	1 84	6 35	.....	576 00	.....
2	1	....	....	....	2 40	.....	504 00	.....
3	1	....	9 38	50	1 60	.....	216 00	150 00
4	1	....	6 50	2 00	1 43	.....	216 00	275 00
5	1	....	7 50	10	74	.....	216 00	150 00
1	2	....	4 00	....	5 84	.....	216 00	300 00
2	2	....	4 00	12	41	.....	252 00	150 00
3	2	....	12 50	2 20	5	.....	249 00	300 00
4	2	...	4 00	....	35	.....	252 00	100 00
5	2	....	1 00	8 05	40 09	.....	780 65	2,500 00
5	2	....	....	....	....	.....	332 80	.....
5	2	....	....	....	....	.....	288 00	.....
5	2	....	...	....	....	.....	436 50	.....
1	3	....	6 85	88	60	.....	252 00	300 00
2	3	....	5 75	....	85	.....	214 00	150 00
3	3	....	6 75	35	....	.....	216 00	150 00
4	3	....	12 35	....	1 04	.....	216 00	300 00
5	3	....	10 75	....	50	.....	210 00	275 00
1	4	....	8 00	....	....	.....	216 00	300 00
2	4	....	7 50	2 10	77	.....	238 00	125 00
3	4	....	12 63	5 11	58	.....	342 00	250 00
4	4	....	3 50	....	25	.....	119 25	300 00
1	5	....	10 00	3 75	1 20	.....	252 00	300 00
2	5	....	10 00	....	8 40	.....	398 00	600 00
3	5	....	9 75	....	50	.....	252 00	500 00
4	5	....	11 50	....	2 98	.....	180 00	300 00
1	6	....	11 00	....	1 35	.....	153 96	175 00
2	6	....	13 62	....	1 45	.....	180 00	300 00
3	6	....	6 75	....	1 40	.....	242 57	275 00
4	6	....	11 50	....	6 32	.....	216 00	350 00
5	6	....	9 00	....	20	.....	170 00	125 00
1	7	....	6 50	2 00	45	.....	216 00	300 00
2	7	....	8 75	...	2 70	.....	208 00	300 00
3	7	....	4 87	....	4 57	.....	252 00	300 00
4	7	....	9 50	3 50	1 10	. ...	250 00	300 00
5	7	....	6 55	60	1 35	.....	203 20	175 00
6	7	....	7 50	....	10	.....	216 00	300 00
7	7	....	7 00	....	20	.....	180 00	275 00
8	7	....	3 00	....	....	.....	118 00	175 00
9	7	...	7 50	10	30	.....	198 00	275 00
1	8	....	6 50	50	75	.....	216 00	175 00
2	8	....	7 63	2 66	17 75	.....	314 67	1,200 00
2	8	...	....	....	....	.....	392 00	.....
3	8	....	12 00	....	5 05	.....	216 00	300 00
4	8	....	15 00	....	6 30	.....	252 00	600 00
4	8	....	....	. ..	....	.....	216 00	.....

WORCESTER COUNTY—SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Expenses for year ending September* 30, 1879—Continued.

No. of School.	District.	Rent.	Fuel.	Repairs.	Other Incidental Expenses.	Furniture, Black-Boards, Stoves.	Teachers' Salaries for the Year.	Value of School Property.
5	8	....	$ 5 50	....	$ 1 12	.....	$ 200 00	$ 300 00
1	9	....	....	8 75	12 97	.....	600 00	1,000 00
1	9	....	....	1 87	19 41	.....	600 00	2,000 00
1	9	....	....	2 90	12 01	.....	288 00	....
1	9	....	....	....	12 55	.....	288 00	.....
2	9	...	10 00	4 87	11	.....	216 00	150 00
3	9	....	5 25	2 57	3 30	.....	216 00	150 00
4	9	....	8 12	3 19	50	.....	235 95	550 00
5	9	....	2 00	3 35	10 04	.....	522 00	700 00
6	9	....	13 00	....	1 25	.....	216 00	300 00
7	9	....	10 00	1 25	1 94	.....	249 29	300 00
		....	$384 24	$76 16	$248 40	.....	$17,039 84	$23,275 00

WORCESTER COUNTY—COLORED SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Attendance for the year ending June* 30, 1879.

No. of School.	District.	Name of Teacher.	Fall Term.		Winter Term.		Spring Term		Summer Term.		No. of different pupils for the year.
			On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	On Roll.	Average daily attendance.	
1	1	Henry S. Martin and Assistant	100	80	119	83	99	80	....	....	126
2	1	George R. Hilton	28	15	41	18	29	14	....	....	44
3	1	Harry L. Peters	35	25	61	40	54	30	....	....	67
1	2	William Young	59	46	52	46	55	49	....	....	71
2	2	Joseph R. Waters	46	16	52	25	62	25	....	....	73
3	2	Mary V. Jones	16	13	....	...	....	....	....	....	16
4	2	Mary J. Darnes	37	17	49	22	50	19	....	....	56
1	3	William S. Anderson	47	37	65	52	64	42	....	....	65
2	3	Charles P. Colder and Claudius W. Aylor.	58	39	67	46	60	39	....	....	73
3	3	Annie E Franklin	24	14	45	27	51	36	....	....	54
1	4	Martha Purnell	25	11	45	31	27	12	....	....	45
1	6	Ion E. Brown	24	11	40	15	41	11	....	....	41
1	7	John W. Price	20	11	31	12	33	11	....	....	33
2	7	Charles Ballard	...	....	24	19	22	15	....	....	25
1	8	Thomas Bradley	41	24	66	31	60	55	....	...	78
2	8	Maria Ginn	....	....	25	16	25	17	....	....	26
1	9	George L Prettyman	30	12	58	22	46	13	....	....	64
2	9	William P. Henry	17	8	21	10	17	8	....	....	23
3	9	Thomas Cooper	20	14	34	19	22	13	....	...	39
			627	393	895	534	817	469	....	....	1019

WORCESTER COUNTY—COLORED SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Expenses for year ending September* 30, 1879.

No. of School.	District.	Value of School Property.	Fuel.	Repairs.	Other Incidental Expenses.	Furniture, Black Boards, Stoves.	Cost of Books.	Teachers' Salaries for the Year.
1	1	$300 00	$1 30	$ 75	$ 3 30	.....	.....	$382 00
2	1	200 00	5 50	....	75	.....	.....	180 00
3	1	.....	4 00	....	80	.....	.....	180 00
1	2	300 00	1 00	90	83	.....	.....	210 00
2	2	.....	7 00	....	25	.....	.....	180 00
3	2	.....	87	....	....	.....	.....	29 00
4	2	.....	7 85	....	80	.....	.....	180 00
1	3	250 00	10 50	3 30	70	.....	.....	180 00
2	3	250 00	10 00	....	2 60	.....	.....	180 00
3	3	.....	12 25	....	....	.....	.....	180 00
1	4	225 00	11 00	1 75	62	.....	.....	141 34
1	6	225 00	5 50	....	67	.....	.....	180 00
1	7	.....	6 50	....	....	.....	.....	180 00
2	7	.....	2 00	....	....	.....	.....	86 45
1	8	400 00	6 30	....	2 40	.....	.....	180 00
2	8	.....	6 50	...	....	.....	.....	91 66
1	9	.....	13 00	....	....	.....	.....	180 00
2	9	150 00	6 62	91	25	.....	.....	210 00
3	9	250 00	5 50	....	2 60	.....	.....	210 00
		$2,550 00	$123 19	$7 61	$16 57	.....	.....	$3,340 45

COLORED SCHOOLS.—*Receipts and Disbursements for the year ending September* 30, 1879.

RECEIPTS.

Unexpended Balance of previous Appropriation	$ 828 68
Amount received from State Treasurer	3,597 28
" " County School Board	100 00
	$ 4,525 96

DISBURSEMENTS.

Paid for Teachers' Salaries	$3,340 45	
Incidental Expenses	16 57	
Rent	10 00	
Fuel	165 14	
Other Purposes	22 38	
Balance Cash on hand	971 42	
		$4,525 96

WORCESTER COUNTY—*Statement of Receipts and Disbursements for Public School Purposes, for the Year ending September* 30, 1879.

RECEIPTS.

Balance on hand September 30, 1878		$8,398 50
State School Tax		8,690 60
State Free School Fund		1,561 82
State Donations		1,200 00
County School Tax at 12 cents on the $100		5,000 00
Amount of levy	$5,000.00.	
Interest on Investments		2,045 63
State appropriation to colored schools		3,597 28
From Liquor Licenses under Act of 1876, Chap. 146		855 00
From non-resident pupils		159 05
From Sale of Old School House		5 00
Proportion of County Taxes for Colored Schools		100 00
Principal of School Fund Collected for Building Purposes		500 00
		$32,112 88

DISBURSEMENTS.

Teachers' Salaries	$17,039 84	
Fuel	944 58	
Incidental Expenses of Schools	248 40	
Rent	25 00	
Building School Houses	549 75	
Repairing " "	407 66	
Furniture and Stoves	174 83	
Salary of Secretary, Treasurer and Examiner	1,000 00	
Per Diem of School Commissioners	327 00	
Office Expenses and Account Books	101 79	
Printing and Advertising	25 00	
Paid to Colored Schools	3,654 54	
Insurance on School Buildings	24 81	
Miscellaneous Orders	232 50	
Balance Cash on hand	7,357 18	
		$32,112 88

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